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"ALL OUR OBJECTIVES WILL BE REACHED. THE SYSTEM OF GUARANTEES WILL CRUMPLE UP," SAYS

NO PROBLEM TO JUSTIFY WAR

"I declare that a thorough and sober examination of the situation in Europe does not reveal any problem sufficiently important or acute as to justify a war, which by the logical development of events would grow from a European war into a world war."—Signor Mussolini speaking at Turin yesterday. (Transocean).

KING'S SURGEON OPERATES ON SEAMAN

Queen Sends Fruit To Invalid

Reuter's special correspondent writes that the Empress of Australia's radio picked up an appeal from the escorting cruiser, H. M. S. Glasgow, for aid in an appendicitis case aboard yesterday. The King's surgeon and another surgeon were rowed to the cruiser and the operation was successfully carried out. The boat, bringing the surgeons back to the liner, returned to the cruiser with special invalid foods and fruit from the Queen.

JAPANESE LOSE TEN THOUSAND IN TEN DAYS

LOYANG, May 14 (International)—Japanese casualties in north Hupeh, Kiangsi and Hunan were estimated to be over ten thousand from May 1 to May 10. The battle lines spread over half a dozen important fronts, each of which resulted in the death of between two to three thousand troops. The heavy Japanese casualties are due to the support to the Chinese infantry forces by artillery and bombing planes. Heavy fighting is still going on in the vicinity of Chungshiang, northwest of Hankow.

TWO GOOD DIVIDENDS AT MACAO MAY RACE MEETING

Ticket No. 15557 Wins Big Prize In Lamchen Cup

FINE WEATHER AND TWO GOOD DIVIDENDS IN THE THIRD AND FOURTH RACES featured the May meeting of the Macao Jockey Club held at the Areia Preta yesterday, when a fair number of enthusiasts made the trip from Hongkong.

In the Kennet-Handicap, Mr. G. R. Payne brought Fairy Auk home first to pay \$87.20 while Miss Fearon's Palmer (Mr. P. Y. T. Wei) paid backers \$65.30 for a win.

Mr. A. W. Raymond, with two wins, was the most successful jockey.

The Lamchen Cup on which was a special sweep was won by Mr. L. N. Plain View ridden by Mr. H. C. P. H. Ticket No. 15557 won \$10,522.40.

Detailed results were as follows: 1.—THE DUKFORD HANDICAP (Five Furlongs).

Mrs. G. W. Cooper and Mrs. P. E. Bedell's Merry Fairy (Mr. G. W. Cooper) 1

Mr. H. Y. Liang's Meadow Eve (Mr. K. I. Ip) 2

Mr. J. H. Potts' Gold Clause (Mr. W. N. Yeh) 3

Distance won: A neck a length between second and third. Time: \$15-1/5, 49-1/5, 1:24-4/5. Part-mutuel.

MUSSOLINI AT TURIN

Attack On Democracies: Axis Inseparable Unity

TURIN, MAY 14 (REUTER)—"THE SYSTEM OF GUARANTEES WILL CRUMPLE UP. WHO CAN ENTERTAIN ANY DOUBTS ABOUT THE FUTURE, WHATEVER HAPPENS."

"I DECLARE THAT ALL OUR OBJECTIVES WILL BE REACHED."

"Millions are asking: Are we going towards peace or war?" declared Signor Benito Mussolini when speaking at the opening of the Economic and Self-Sufficiency Exhibition this morning.

The Italian Prime Minister added: "This is a grave question for all especially for those who have the responsibility for a decision." Certain knots in Europe must be disentangled because it sometimes happened that war was preferred to a long period of difficult suspense.

"The doctrine of fascism is more inflexible than ever and we shall march with Germany on every question in Europe," he said. "The great democracies are invited to give a fair opinion on our viewpoint. We don't want peace simply because our internal situation is catastrophic."

DESIRE FOR PEACE Signor Mussolini exclaimed ironically that "it is Italy's sincere desire for peace." "We are entitled to doubt it."

"That the democracies are not sincerely attached to peace is shown by the fact that they started the so-called white war in the economic field."

"We shall beat them by our courage and willpower. All attacks will be useless."

CHILDREN CHEER Twenty-thousand children in the main square were among the crowds that enthusiastically cheered Il Duce when he arrived for his speech to inaugurate the exhibition.

It is noteworthy that Mussolini, in his speech, made no reference to Danzig, Poland, the Anglo-Turkish treaty nor the claims against France.

NOT UNFAVOURABLE

Reuter learns that the impression made by Signor Mussolini's speech in diplomatic circles in London is not unfavourable. It is felt that Il Duce was pacific and moderate and the general atmosphere is not influenced prejudicially.

INSEPARABLE UNITY

A Transocean message adds that Signor Mussolini said that the axis, after so many years of parallel development of both regimes and both revolutions, had become an inseparable unity of both peoples and both nations by the pact of Milan and the military alliance which will be signed in Berlin at the end of the month.

"The teaching of fascism is clear and my will is as adamant as ever," added Il Duce.

The system of guarantees was doomed to fall against the tremendous bloc of 150 millions, Signor Mussolini remarked.

The address was again and again interrupted by vociferous cheers.

CHINESE PLANES ACTIVE

KAOAN, May 14 (Central)—Chinese warplanes heavily bombed Fenghsin, west of Nanchang, yesterday morning. Considerable casualties were inflicted on the Japanese. Japanese positions at Nanchang and Anyi were also attacked.

Japanese batteries on the west bank of the Fu River flowing south of Nanchang have been intermittently shelling across the river. Several fires were caused on May 12.

Chinese troops made a surprise raid on the Japanese garrison at Fengchiapu on the Juichang-Wuning highway in north Kiangsi on May 11. With the aid of thousands of Chinese peasants they damaged miles of the highway.

BIG ORDER FOR BRITAIN

CAIRO, May 14 (Reuter)—Details of the construction of three arms factories in Egypt have been announced. Tenders estimated at \$900,000 will shortly be invited from Britain.

ANOTHER FRONTIER INCIDENT

MONGOLS ATTACK MANCHUKUO GUARDS

TOKYO, May 14 (T/Ocean)—A serious incident occurred in the Peimake region, on the frontier between Outer Mongolia and Manchukuo, according to despatches received here from Hsin-king on Saturday, which state that over 100 soldiers from Outer Mongolia entered Manchukuo territory on Thursday, after crossing the River Halama and opened fire on the Manchukuo Frontier Guards.

A seven-hour fight ensued and the Frontier Guards finally succeeded in driving the Mongols from Manchukuo territory.

The Mongols left five dead on the field, but no information is forthcoming regarding the casualties among the Frontier Guards.

A similar incident took place at the beginning of May and since then the Manchukuo Frontier Guards have been considerably reinforced.

NARROW ESCAPE FOR BRITISH SLOOP

Jardine Property Machine-Gunned At Swatow

H.M.S. Folkestone, sloop on the China Station, and the British steamer Haitan had a narrow escape from machine-gunning during a Japanese raid on Swatow yesterday afternoon, says Reuter.

Jardine property was showered with shrapnel when a bomb fell 200 yards west of Jardine's office. The property was machine-gunned and coolies were killed and wounded.

There was also a raid yesterday morning when three Japanese planes dropped bombs on various parts of the city.

Casualties are unknown, the message adds.

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Search For "Sea Dragon"

REQUEST TO U.S. CONGRESS

U.S. Congress representatives Mr. Haverner and Mr. Welch, from California, have joined in a request to President Roosevelt to institute a search for the Chinese junk, "Sea Dragon," on which Richard Halliburton, author and adventurer, set sail from Hongkong for San Francisco in the first week of March.

The junk, manned by an American crew, with three Chinese sailors, has not been heard of since the early morning of March 24, when the U.S. President Coolidge picked up the "Sea Dragon's" radio in the middle of the Pacific Ocean.

CHINESE MOBILE UNITS CHECK JAPANESE ATTACK: LULL IN KWANGTUNG

TSINGYUAN, KWANGTUNG, May 14 (Central)—A lull has set in in the Kongmoon-Sunwei sector in Kwangtung after the Japanese offensive on the Sze Yap area was checked.

Chinese mobile warfare largely accounted for the failure of the Japanese offensive. Besides putting up stiff resistance to the Japanese driving down from Kongmoon and Sunwei, the Chinese on the West River recaptured Mahow and Old Samahat City and made a direct threat to Samahat. The Japanese were compelled to recall a part of their troops at Kongmoon.

Meanwhile, Chinese recaptured Lupao, Kunyiu, Tanpo and Yeung-mui, points in the area between Canton and Samahat. In the face of the threatening Chinese advance, the Japanese recalled their troops dispatched from Fatsan to Kongmoon.

Strong Chinese units are now guarding Tanpo and Sankong, important junction points between the West River and North River areas. So long as the Chinese occupy them, the Japanese would not be able to "mop up" the Chinese guerrillas operating in the areas between Namhol, Samshui and Fatsan or relieve the Chinese pressure on Kongmoon and Kwok-ton on the Canton-Hankow Railway.

The Japanese failed to encircle the Chinese.

JAPANESE LOSS ICHANG, May 14 (Central)—Since the Chinese siege of Tung-cheng in south Hupeh, the Japanese have lost about 500 men, a field piece, four heavy and light machine-guns and a number of rifles.

Japanese batteries inside the city have been shelling intermittently in an attempt to repulse the Chinese.

In central Hupeh the Chinese are pushing eastward with great vigour on the Hankow-Ichang highway. Yang-chia-chiang ar Ymenkow, both on the highway, have been regained. In addition to several hundred Japanese killed, many Japanese officers and soldiers have been taken prisoner.

The Japanese at Kongmoon are now on the defensive.

NIGHT RAID

YUNGYUN, KWANGTUNG, May 14 (Central)—A Chinese night raid on Fukuohu, northeast of Canton, on May 12 resulted in about 100 Japanese being slain. The remnant Japanese fled to Chungshun.

CHINESE CONTROL

TUNKI, ANHWEI, May 14 (Central)—Pihien in north Kiangsu has been retaken by the Chinese. Over 300 Japanese casualties were inflicted during a three-hour street fight. The Japanese fled across the Grand Canal.

The magistrate Wang Hua-yun has returned to Pihien.

SINYEH RETAKEN

NANYANG, HONAN, May 14 (Central)—Sinveh, south Honan town, has reverted to Chinese control after a brief occupation by the Japanese.

A thousand Japanese troops made a sudden attack on the town on May 10. Outnumbered the Chinese defenders withdrew to the suburbs after bitter fighting. Upon the arrival of reinforcements the following morning they launched a counter-attack while armed Chinese civilians attacked from inside.

After sustaining heavy losses, the Japanese retired in a southeasterly direction.

JAPANESE DEFEAT

SIAN, May 14 (Central)—Three Japanese columns comprising about 4,000 men converging on Huchiao and Hsichiahsai, northeast of Wenshui in central Shansi, have suffered 400 casualties in a series of engagements with the Chinese.

SPAIN MAY JOIN AXIS

NEW TREATY WITH GERMANY

LONDON, May 14 (Reuter)—The Berlin correspondent of the "Sunday Times" writes that one result of the Anglo-Turkish agreement has been the greater seal behind the scenes to bring Spain into the Rome-Berlin axis.

Since the end of the civil war, German writers have painted the military strength of strategic importance in Spain as if it were already in the axis. Hitherto, however, Spain had no more than a cultural treaty with Germany, in addition to membership of the anti-comintern pact. Observers here believe that a military alliance will follow.

In the meantime, it is expected that economic relations between Germany and Spain will be made closer by the conclusion of a new commercial treaty.

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Soviet Reply Expected Early This Week

MOSCOW ANXIETY OVER DANGERS OF DELAY

LONDON, May 14 (Reuter)—Observers and diplomatic writers state that there are indications that the Soviet Government would send to London its observations on the latest British suggestions without waiting for the Geneva meetings between the British Foreign Minister, Lord Halifax, the French Foreign Minister, M. Bonnet, and M. Potemkin, Soviet Vice-Commissar for Foreign Affairs, next week.

The Russian answer is expected to reach London early this week.

The central motive for Moscow's technique is understood to be the continued anxiety over the dangers of delay.

In view of the anxiety to reach an agreement with the British Government as soon as possible, it is understood that the Soviet Government will express its readiness to accept modifications in form or words, but will reiterate its insistence upon what it regards as an essential substance of a firm Franco-British-Russian military commitment openly designed to operate against Germany in the event of further aggression.

IMPROVING U.S. POSITION AS AN AIR POWER

First Plan Submitted To Roosevelt

WASHINGTON, May 14 (Reuter)—The first of a series of plans for improving the United States position as an air power has been submitted to President Roosevelt by the inter-departmental committee.

This plan calls for the immediate doubling of the number of mechanics employed in the aircraft industry, estimated to be about 40,000, as the first step towards ensuring that some 500,000 will be quickly available in time of war.

According to the "New York Times" another inter-departmental committee is expected to report shortly on plans to strengthen the continental defence by the development of civilian air lines.

PETTY OFFICER SWAN WINS GOVERNOR'S PRIZE AT "BISLEY" MEETING

Special Presentation Made To Major G. P. Murray

THE VERY KEEN INTEREST TAKEN BY THEIR EXCELLENCIES THE GOVERNOR AND GENERAL OFFICER COMMANDING, SIR GEOFFREY NORTH-COTE, AND MAJOR-GENERAL A. E. GRASSETT, respectively, in the welfare of the Hongkong Rifle Association was evidenced yesterday when they were present practically the whole day at the Kowloon City Ranges to witness the competition for H.E. the Governor's Prize, which brought to a conclusion a most successful "Bisley" meeting.

Major-General Grasset very sportingly fired in the Senior Members' match in which the Army defeated the Navy.

Major G. P. Murray, the honorary secretary of the H.K.R.A., whose indefatigable efforts were mainly responsible for the successful running of the meeting, was the recipient of a silver cigarette-box, suitably inscribed, presented by the members of the Association in token of gratitude for the valuable services he had rendered to the H.K.R.A.

WINNER "CHAIBED"

The Governor's Prize was won by Petty Officer Swan, of the Navy Range Staff, who, although suffering from a bad cold, amassed a total of 328 to win by a handsome margin of seven points. He also had the honour of being "chaibed" to the official mark.

Sgt. F. E. Russell, of the Hong Kong Police, captured Second Prize with a total of 321, finishing eight points ahead of Petty Officer Thong, of the Police Reserve.

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In the World of Sports

ELECTRICS ONLY BOWLS HOME TEAM TO LOSE

Craigengower, Kowloon And Indians Lead League I

With the single exception of Hongkong Electric Recreation Club in the Third Division, all home teams won in the lawn bowls league programme played on Saturday. There were one or two narrow shaves, three wins by only a single shot being recorded.

These were by Kowloon Bowling Green against Talkoo Docks, Police against Kowloon Tong, in the second division, and Yacht Club against Craigengower in the third division.

Three teams in the first division have an unbeaten record of played two, won two—Craigengower, Kowloon and the Indians, the first-named having the best percentage in regard to shots.

Results follow:—

BOWLING GREEN SUCCESS

At Austin Road, Kowloon Bowling Green Club beat Recreation "B" by 26 shots.

K.B.G.C.—W. L. Walker, T. E. Robson, J. C. Gill, A. M. Holland, (skip) 14; F. Cheesman, S. M. White, W. S. Drake, W. Macfarlane (skip) 20; A. S. Russell, L. A. R. Duncan, A. J. Hall, R. Duncan (skip) 21. Total 64.

Recreation "B"—C. C. Pereira, A. M. Xavier, E. da Sousa, A. A. Remedios (skip) 18; J. C. Remedios, D. C. Alves, C. Rosa Pereira, B. Basto (skip) 4; F. X. Machado, C. B. Basto (skip) 16. Total 38.

INDIANS WIN AGAIN

At Soekurpo, Indian Recreation Club beat Police Recreation Club by 14 shots.

I.R.C.—D. M. Khan, A. M. Wahat, M. Y. Adal, A. R. Dallah (skip) 19; A. H. Rumjahn, A. Bakar, A. O. Madar, M. R. Abbas (skip) 24; J. Hoosen, S. M. Rumjahn, A. R. Minu, A. K. Minu (skip) 22. Total 65.

P.R.C.—J. Forrest, E. Ellis, G. Perkins, J. Orem (skip) 19; H. Brown, F. C. Channing, W. Maier, J. C. Fender (skip) 17; W. McLeod, C. Dowman, J. Shepherd, A. E. Carey (skip) 15. Total 51.

KOWLOON DOCK LOSE

At Cox's Road, Kowloon Cricket Club beat Kowloon Dock Recreation Club by 23 shots.

K.C.C.—V. C. Labrum, J. W. M. Brown, H. Nish, F. Goodwin (skip) 21; W. Hyde, T. A. Madar, H. Overy, E. C. Fincher (skip) 22; Geo Lee, W. Mulcahy, J. Hyde, E. Kern (skip) 23. Total 68.

K.D.R.C.—J. V. Ramsay, W. Houston, S. Gray, R. Morrison (skip) 15; A. M. Calman, H. G. Cooper, J. Kempton, F. Cullen (skip) 12; B. Parks, M. Ferguson, R. Lapsley, J. C. Brown (skip) 16. Total 43.

C.C.C. 94: C.S. 59

At Happy Valley, Craigengower Cricket Club beat Civil Service Club by 35 shots.

C.C.C.—A. A. Razack, L. C. R. Souza, C. S. Rossetti, R. Basa (skip) 38; J. W. Leonard, K. M. Omar, A. E. Coates, B. W. Bradbury (skip) 23; L. Gaddi, W. Ward, J. S. Landolt, U. M. Omar (skip) 33. Total 94.

C.S.C.—M. E. Purvis, C. Strange, W. J. Burling, M. N. Rakusen (skip) 20; R. R. Davis, R. R. Wood, L. Collier, J. Deakin (skip) 26; E. Summonds, H. E. Strange, A. Grimmitt, J. Hollidge (skip) 13. Total 59.

SECOND DIVISION

TAIKOO LOSE BY ONE

At Austin Road, Kowloon Bowling Green Club beat Talkoo Dock Recreation Club by one shot.

K.B.G.C.—R. P. Phillips, V. C. Dixon, J. S. Logan, J. G. Meyer (skip) 21; E. V. Searle, K. C. Hamilton, H. E. Drew, G. E. F. Thompson (skip) 17; A. Bower, T. Armstrong, D. W. Waterson, R. White (skip) 13. Total 51.

Talkoo—H. Gillies, W. Cunningham, J. C. Polson, R. Wallace (skip) 9; R. Main, T. Grimes, W. Seath, D. Munro (skip) 19; W. Melrose, C. Bovalet, T. Stainton, J. C. Chalmers (skip) 22. Total 50.

ANOTHER SINGLE SHOT

At Happy Valley, Police Recreation Club beat Kowloon Tong Garden City Association by one shot.

P.R.C.—J. Edwards, W. Campbell, F. J. Kelly, W. McHardy (skip) 26; N. B. Fraser, S. R. Far-

TENNIS TO AID RELIEF

Tsui Brothers Lose One-Set Match

Something of a sensation was caused at the series of exhibition tennis matches played on the Stand Court at the Hongkong Cricket Club ground on Saturday in aid of the British Fund for Relief of Distress in China, when Tsui Wai-pui and Tsui Yan-pui, Colony doubles champions, were beaten 6-1 by W.A.H. Duff and L. Goldman.

Earlier on Duff and Goldman had figured in an unusual match with Ho Ka-lau and Lee Yue-wing. Winning the first five games without much effort, they had lost the next seven in a row, to drop the set.

Five doubles matches were played, all being of one set. Form fluctuated quite a lot in the course of the five sets, but some sparkling tennis was seen, the players' freedom of stroke being a welcome change after the tense atmosphere of the recently-concluded tournament.

The Rumjahn Cousins had a somewhat strange "record." They beat both the Ho-Lee and Goldman-Duff combinations 6-1, after Ho and Lee had beaten Duff and Goldman, and Duff and Goldman had beaten the Tsui Brothers 6-2, but themselves lost to the Brothers 6-4. Possibly this contradiction in form can be explained by the truism that the better the opposition the better the Brothers play.

In spite of counter attractions a fair crowd watched the matches, and the Fund will probably benefit to the extent of a few hundred dollars.

Scores follow:—

Ho Ka-lau and Lee Yue-wing beat W. A. H. Duff and L. Goldman 6-1.
Tsui Wai-pui and Tsui Yan-pui beat S. A. and H. D. Rumjahn 6-4.
W. A. H. Duff and L. Goldman beat Tsui Wai-pui and Tsui Yan-pui 6-2.
S. A. and H. D. Rumjahn beat Ho Ka-lau and Lee Yue-wing 6-1.
S. A. and H. D. Rumjahn beat W. A. H. Duff and L. Goldman 6-1.

THIRD DIVISION

K.F.C. BEATEN

At King's Park, Club de Recreio beat Kowloon Football Club by 15 shots.

K.F.C.—J. Remedios, L. Leon, P. Xavier, P. A. Yvanovich (skip) 29; M. Alarcon, A. M. Rodrigues, J. Soares, O. P. Remedios (skip) 18; A. F. Noronha, C. F. Vas, L. A. Gutierrez, C. M. S. Alves (skip) 24. Total 71.

K.F.C.C.—C. Fuller, C. E. Furey, T. White, J. Ross (skip) 25; S. C. Wong, W. Mills, H. Bunje, V. Petherick (skip) 16; P. McCarthy, W. Excell, B. Thompson, P. Morahan (skip) 13. Total 58.

FOOTBALL CLUB WIN

At Happy Valley, Hongkong Football Club beat the Prison Officers' Club by 22 shots.

H.K.F.C.—C. G. Solis, H. G. Wellington, J. H. Gelling, K. S. Robertson (skip) 19; E. P. Anslow, C. F. Needham, J. Ralston, H. H. Pegg (skip) 20; E. Casey, J. I. Barnes, T. Rowell, J. Russell (skip) 22. Total 61.

P.O.C.—W. E. Webber, V. H. Freeman, T. M. Pile, C. M. Gowan (skip) 12; E. S. Franks, J. McCutcheon, S. Hodge, T. Gooding (skip) 13; J. W. Fitzgerald, J. W. Hudson, G. B. Foster, A. Jillett (skip) 14. Total 39.

ELECTRICIANS LOSE

At North Point, Kowloon Bowling Green Club beat Hongkong

SATURDAY'S LEAGUE BOWLS RESULTS AT A GLANCE

FIRST DIVISION	
Indian R.C.	65
Kowloon C.C.	68
Kowloon B.G.C.	64
Craigengower C.C.	94
SECOND DIVISION	
H.K. Football Club	58
Craigengower C.C.	79
Kowloon B.G.C.	51
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THIRD DIVISION	
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Fifth Extra Race Meeting On May 27, 29

PROGRAMME FOR THE VALLEY

The Hongkong Jockey Club's programme for the Fifth Extra Race Meeting, to be held at Happy Valley on Saturday May 27, at 2 p.m. (first saddling bell at 1.30 p.m.) and Monday, May 29, at 12.30 p.m. (first saddling bell at noon) is given below. Entries will close at noon on Thursday, May 18 at the Secretary's office, Exchange Building.

FIRST DAY

1.—2.00 p.m.—Bondi Handicap.—Winner \$600. Second \$300. Third \$200. For Australian Subscription Ponies of any Season. Ponies classified "A" Class that have won two or more races 1st January, 1939, barred. Jockey Allowance. Entrance \$5. One Mile.

2.—2.30 p.m.—Lead Mine Handicap.—First Section.—Winner \$600. Second \$300. Third \$200. For China Ponies. "B" Class. Jockey Allowance. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

Note.—One Entry only will be made for the Lead Mine Handicap (Races Nos. 2 and 6). Entries will be divided into First and Second Sections at the discretion of the Handicapper.

3.—3.00 p.m.—Whitson Handicap.—Winner \$750. Second \$300. Third \$200. For China Ponies. Subscription Griffins of this Club of this Season. Jockey Allowance. Entrance \$5. One Mile.

4.—3.30 p.m.—Shatin Handicap.—First Section.—Winner \$600. Second \$300. Third \$200. For China Ponies. "D" Class. Subscription Griffins of this Club of this Season that have won more than \$1,000 in stakes, barred. Jockey Allowance. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

Note.—One Entry only will be made for the Shatin Handicap (Races Nos. 4 and 9). Entries will be divided into First and Second Sections at the discretion of the Handicapper.

5.—4.00 p.m.—Spencer Handicap.—Winner \$600. Second \$300. Third \$200. For Australian Subscription Ponies. "B" Class. Winners of \$1,500 or more in stakes since 1st January, 1939, barred. Jockey Allowance \$5. One Mile.

6.—4.30 p.m.—Lead Mine Handicap.—Second Section. (See Race No. 2).

7.—5.00 p.m.—Stonemasons Plate.—Winner \$600. Second \$300. Third \$200. For China Ponies. Subscription Griffins of this Club of this Season. Winners of more than \$500 in stakes, barred. Weight for inches as per scale. To be ridden by Jockeys who have not won ten races anywhere at any time. No Whips or Spurs allowed. Entrance \$5. Half a Mile.

8.—5.30 p.m.—Warwick Farm Handicap.—Winner \$800. Second \$300. Third \$200. For Australian Subscription Ponies of this Season. Winners of \$1,000 or more in stakes, barred. Jockey Allowance. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

9.—6.00 p.m.—Shatin Handicap.—Second Section. (See Race No. 4).

Daily Double Event.—Fifth and Seventh Races.

SECOND DAY

1.—12.30 p.m.—Whitson Plate.—Winner \$750. Second \$300. Third \$200. A Handicap for China Ponies. Ponies classified "A" class that have won \$5,000 or more in stakes since 1st January, 1939, barred. Entrance \$5. One and a Quarter Miles.

2.—1.00 p.m.—Lama Handicap.—First Section.—Winner \$600. Second \$300. Third \$200. For China Ponies. "D" Class. Winners at this Meeting, barred. Jockey Allowance. Entrance \$5. One and a Quarter Miles.

Note.—One Entry only will be made for the Lama Handicap (Races Nos. 2 and 5). Entries will be divided into First and Second Sections at the discretion of the Handicapper.

3.—2.30 p.m.—Sharks Bay Handicap.—Winner \$600. Second \$300. Third \$200. For Australian Subscription Ponies of this Season. Winners at this Meeting and ponies that have won \$1,000 or more in stakes, barred. Jockey Allowance. Entrance \$5. From the Two Mile Post Once Round and In (About One Mile 17 1/2 Yards).

4.—3.00 p.m.—Green Island Handicap.—First Section.—Winner \$600. Second \$300. Third \$200. For China Ponies. "C" Class. Winners at this Meeting and ponies that have won more than \$2,000 in stakes, barred. Jockey Allowance. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

Daily Double Event.—First and Seventh Races.

BRITAIN RALLY TO WIN

Hare's Fine Showing In Davis Cup

BRIGHTON, May 13 (Reuter).—After trailing two games to one, Great Britain beat New Zealand by three matches to two as the result of fine wins scored by R. Shaves over Brown and C. E. Hare over C. Maffroy in the last two singles.

Both won in straight sets, scores in favour of Shaves being 6-3, 6-4, 7-5, and in favour of Hare 7-5, 6-4, 5-4.

There was a gusty wind which made conditions difficult. Shaves was spasmodic, but was generally speaking, Brown's superior and saved Britain from the ignominy of an early defeat.

Hare proved a real match-winner, was very steady, volleyed brilliantly, and outgeneralled a wily opponent, this match producing the best tennis of the tie.

ITALY WIN

NAPLES, May 13 (Reuter).—Italy eliminated Monaco by three matches to nil in their Davis Cup tie completed here to-day.

H.K. YACHT CLUB RESULTS

Royal Hongkong Yacht Club's Sweetstake race over 9.5 miles yesterday resulted as follows:—

Distance	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	Last
Welcome	48.2	1.21.4	1.58.2			36.3
Phoenix	48.2	1.19.4	1.48.4			33
Rituel	32.2	1.03.1	1.31.2			28.1
Perfect Day	35.3	1.10.1	1.41.3			31.2
Courting Eve	39.4	1.05	1.52.4			27.4
Happy Landings						
Roady	36.2	1.05.2	1.33.4			28.2
Annabella	30.2	1.01.3	1.28.3			27
Eve of Harvest	40.3	1.17	1.50.2			33.2
Triumph Day	38	1.11.2	1.40.4			29.2
Twilight Star	36.2	1.12	1.41.1			29.1
Humdrum Eve	30.4	1.01.3	1.33	2.05.3	2.40.2	34.4
Galveston Bay	37.2	1.15.4	1.52	2.24.1		32.1
African Diamond						
Thanksgiving Day	43	1.20	1.55	2.28		33
Brutus	43.2	1.20	1.52	2.20.4		28.4
Argon and Jillian	39	1.17	1.52.3	2.29.1		36.3
Rob Roy	34.3	1.10	1.44.2	2.15.3		31.1
Patriotic Day, Rose Day and Opening Batsman	39.3	1.20	1.57	2.31	3.04.4	33.4
Jobber and Lancashire Lass	41	1.18	1.49.3	2.20		30.2
Battleship	45.2	1.26.1	2.02			35.4
Gladiator	39.2	1.16.4	1.47.4			31
Hectic View and Scenic View	38.2	1.13.3	1.46.1	2.16.1		30
Bressay and Whaley	41	1.19	1.58.1	2.29.1		31
Rose Jane	34.1	1.11.3	1.47	2.18.3		31.3
Celtic Star	35.2	1.10.3	1.42.2			31.4
King's Warden	43.3	1.23	2.01.4	2.38.3		34.4
Moonlight View	37	1.14	1.51	2.23	2.52.2	29.2
Ajax	37	1.10.2	1.41.1	2.09.2		28.1
Snowy River	36.3	1.10	1.40	2.08.2		28.2
Rose Evelyn	39.1	1.11	1.40.4			29.4
Rose Emily	39.2	1.17	1.50.4			33.4
Tiny Tim	39	1.17.4	1.54.3			36.4
Ruby Star	33.3	1.05.3	1.38.4	2.10.3		31.4
Gog and Magog	41.4	1.21.1	2.00	2.33		33
Bistre	38	1.14.2	1.49.4	2.22.4		33
Conquering Time	41.3	1.20.4	1.58.3	2.27.3		31
Violet Queen	31	58.4	1.27.4	1.58.2		—
Jennifer	36.3	1.09.4	1.41.4			32
King Kong	38.3	1.14.3	1.46.3			32
Some Hope	39	1.15.4	1.45			30.1
Bogey and National Honour	41.1	1.17.3	1.50.3			33
Starlet	38.1	1.15	1.49			34
Scarlett O'Hara	50	1.25	1.57	2.28.2		28.2
Radium Star and Lovely Star	41	1.19.3	1.55.2	2.28.4		35.2
Cockleford	38	1.13	1.47.4	2.18.3		30.4
Flybynight	40	1.18	1.54.1	2.26.2		32.1
Musketeer	36	1.20	1.53.3			33.3
Kut Cheong and Wilber	44	1.20	1.55	2.20		34
Tribute	43.3	1.25.3	2.03	2.35		32
Gallant Marshall	42.2	1.18.1	1.52.4	2.25.4		32

QUEENSLAND WINS KING'S CUP

MELBOURNE, May 13 (Reuter).—Queensland won the King's Cup for sculling on the Melbourne River to-day.

New South Wales was second, followed by South Australia and Tasmania. Victoria was disqualified.

at this Meeting, barred. Jockey Allowance. Entrance \$5. From the 11 Mile Post (About Half Mile 170 Yards).

Note.—One Entry only will be made for the Green Island Handicap (Races Nos. 4 and 7). Entries will be divided into First and Second Sections at the discretion of the Handicapper.

5.—3.30 p.m.—Lama Handicap.—Second Section. (See Race No. 2).

6.—4.00 p.m.—Woolahra Handicap.—Winner \$600. Second \$300. Third \$200. For Australian Subscription Ponies of this Season. Winners of two or more races and winners at this Meeting, barred. Jockey Allowance. Entrance \$5. From the Two Mile Post Once Round and In (About One Mile 17 1/2 Yards).

7.—4.30 p.m.—Green Island Handicap.—Second Section. (See Race No. 4).

8.—5.00 p.m.—Beaufort Handicap.—Winner \$600. Second \$300. Third \$200. For China Ponies. Griffins of this Season. Winners at this Meeting and ponies that have won more than \$2,000 in stakes, barred. Jockey Allowance. Entrance \$5. One Mile.

9.—5.30 p.m.—Manly Handicap.—Winner \$600. Second \$300. Third \$200. For Australia Subscription Ponies. "C" Class. Winners at this Meeting and ponies that have won more than \$2,000 in stakes, barred. Jockey Allowance. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

10.—6.00 p.m.—Emmags Plate.—Winner \$600. Second \$300. Third \$200. For China Ponies. Subscription Griffins of this Club of this Season. Winners of more than \$500 in stakes, barred. Weight, 10 lb. under weight for inches 2 lb. penalty for every 1 lb. or part thereof won in stakes. Jockey Allowance. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

Daily Double Event.—First and Seventh Races.

TRAINING GALLOPS

The following times were clocked during the morning gallops at the Race Course on Saturday:—

	Dis- tance	1st Qr.	2nd Qr.	3rd Qr.	4th Qr.	5th Qr.	Last Qr.
Welcome	1	48.2	1.21.4	1.58.2			36.3
Phoenix	1	48.2	1.19.4	1.48.4			33
Rituel	1	32.2	1.03.1	1.31.2			28.1
Perfect Day	1	35.3	1.10.1	1.41.3			31.2
Courting Eve	1	39.4	1.05	1.52.4			27.4
Happy Landings and Roofly	1	36.2	1.05.2	1.33.4			28.2
Annabella	1	30.2	1.01.3	1.28.3			27
Eve of Harvest	1	40.3	1.17	1.50.2			33.2
Triumph Day	1	38	1.11.2	1.40.4			29.2
Twilight Star	1	36.2	1.12	1.41.1			29.1
Humdrum Eve	1	30.4	1.01.3	1.33	2.05.3	2.40.2	34.4
Galveston Bay	1	37.2	1.15.4	1.52	2.24.1		32.1
African Diamond and Thanksgiving Day	1	43	1.20	1.55	2.28		33
Brutus	1	43.2	1.20	1.52	2.20.4		28.4
Argon and Jillian	1	39	1.17	1.52.3	2.29.1		36.3
Rob Roy	1	34.3	1.10	1.44.2	2.15.3		31.1
Patriotic Day, Rose Day and Opening Batsman	1	39.3	1.20	1.57	2.31	3.04.4	33.4
Jobber and Lancashire Lass	1	41	1.18	1.49.3	2.20		30.2
Battleship	1	45.2	1.26.1	2.02			35.4
Gladiator	1	39.2	1.16.4	1.47.4			31
Hectic View and Scenic View	1	38.2	1.13.3	1.46.1	2.16.1		30
Bressay and Whalsey	1	41	1.19	1.58.1	2.29.1		31
Rose Jane	1	34.1	1.11.3	1.47	2.18.3		31.3
Celtic Star	1	35.2	1.10.3	1.42.2			31.4
King's Warden	1	43.3	1.23	2.01.4	2.36.3		34.4
Moonlight View	1	38	1.14	1.51	2.23	2.52.2	29.2
Ajax	1	37	1.10.2	1.41.1	2.09.2		28.1
Snowy River	1	36.3	1.10	1.40	2.03.2		28.2
Rose Evelyn	1	36.1	1.11	1.40.4			29.4
Rose Emily	1	39.2	1.17	1.50.4			33.4
Tiny Tim	1	39	1.17.4	1.54.3			36.4
Ruby Star	1	33.3	1.05.3	1.38.4	2.10.3		31.4
Gog and Magog	1	41.4	1.21.1	2.00	2.33		33
Bistre	1	38	1.14.2	1.49.4	2.22.4		33
Conquering Time	1	41.3	1.20.4	1.56.3	2.27.3		31
Violet Queen	1	31	58.4	1.27.4	1.58.2		31
Jennifer	1	36.3	1.09.4	1.41.4			32
King Kong	1	38.3	1.14.3	1.46.3			32
Some Hope	1	39	1.15.4	1.43			30.1
Bogey and National Honour	1	41.1	1.17.3	1.50.3			33
Starlet	1	38.1	1.15	1.49			34
Scarlett O'Hara	1	50	1.25	1.57	2.26.2		29.2
Radium Star and Lovely Star	1	41	1.19.3	1.55.2	2.28.4		33.2
Cocklerol	1	38	1.13	1.47.4	2.18.3		30.4
Flybynight	1	40	1.18	1.54.1	2.26.2		32.1
Musketeer	1	36	1.20	1.53.3			33.3
Kut Cheong and Wilber	1	44	1.20	1.55	2.20		34
Tribute	1	43.3	1.25.3	2.03	2.35		32
Gallant Marshall	1	42.2	1.18.1	1.52.4	2.25.4		32



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Dvorak Symphony
12.00 to 12.20 p.m. Relay of Service of Intercession from St. John's Cathedral.

12.30 p.m. Patricia Rossborough (Piano) and Robinson Cleaver (Organ).

Dizzy Fingers (Convey); Manhattan Music Box Selection—Patricia Rossborough (Piano); Magyar Melody—Selection; Paris Honeymoon—Selection—H. Robinson Cleaver (Organ) & Patricia Rossborough (Piano); Snow White And The Seven Dwarfs—Selection (Morey and Churchill); Sailing Along—Selection—Patricia Rossborough (Piano); Carousell—Selection—H. Robinson Cleaver (Organ) and Patricia Rossborough (Piano); Musical Sweethearts—Intro; Polly; Dinah; Nola; Dainty Miss; Miss Annabelle Lee; Somebody stole my Gal.

1.00 p.m. Local Time Signal and Weather Report.

1.05 p.m. Variety with Vine, More and Nevard. Sophie Tucker and Harry Roy and His Orchestra.

Conversational Man (Lerner and Shapiro)—Sophie Tucker (Comedienne) with Ted Shapiro and His Orchestra.

1.30 p.m. The O'Brien-Henry Club—Slow Fox-Trot; Why Can We Make Love—Fox-Trot—Harry Roy and His Orchestra.

Away Down South In Heaven (Green and Warren); Is He The Boy Friend? (Yellen and Ager)—Sophie Tucker (Comedienne) with Ted Shapiro and His Orchestra.

The Sheep Were In The Meadow—Fox-Trot (from "Going Greek")—Harry Roy and His Orchestra.

A Little Bit Of Madeira (Algy More)—Vine, More and Nevard (Comedians with Piano).

A Little Co-Operation From You—Fox-Trot (from "Going Greek")—Harry Roy and His Orchestra.

Underneath A Leafy Oak (Algy More)—Vine, More and Nevard (Comedians) with Piano.

1.30 p.m. Reuter and Rugby Press. Weather Forecast and Announcements.

1.40 p.m. Dvorak—Symphony No. 2 in D Minor, Op. 73.

Czech Philharmonic Orchestra conducted by Václav Talich.

2.15 p.m. Close down.

6.00 p.m. "For The Children." Children's Overture (Quilter)—New Light Symphony Orchestra cond. by Dr. Malcolm Sargent.

Studio Serial Story "More Very Young" Songs: (A. A. Milne—Fraser-Simson)—Intro; Nursery Chairs; Waiting at the Window; Spring Morning; The End—George Baker (Baritone) with Piano.

6.30 p.m. Closing local Stock Quotations.

6.32 p.m. B.B.C. Wireless Military Band.

The Black Domino—Overture (Auber—arr. Winterbottom). Slavonic Dance No. 5 (Dvorak—arr. Williams); Dance No. 5 (Dvorak—arr. Williams); Le Corsaire Ballet—conducted by E. Walton O'Donnell.

6.45 p.m. London Relay—Musical Hall.

Randolph Sutton (Britain's Premier Light Comedian); at the Piano, Stewart McBean; Ted Ray (Piddling and Poodling); The B.B.C. Variety Orchestra conducted by Charles Chadwell. Presented by John Sharrman.

7.45 p.m. Carroll Gibbons (Piano) and His Boy Friends.

Let's Fall In Love (from the film); Is Love, Wherever You Find It? (from the film); You Never Looked So Beautiful (film "The Great Zerkow"); Mine Alone—Fox-Trot (from "Mascot"); My Own—Fox-Trot (from "That Certain Age").

8.00 p.m. Local Time Signal, Weather Report and Announcements.

8.05 p.m. Songs by Luigi Fort and Ruth Ebling.

It's Swell Of You (from "Wake Up And Live!); There's A Lull In My Life (from "Wake Up And Live!); Ruth Ebling. Ideals (Tosti); Si Vous L'avez Compris—Melodie (Denza); Luigi Fort (Tenor) with Orch.

8.15 p.m. London Relay—Cricket: M.C.C. v. West Indies.

A commentary during the second day's play by Howard Marshall from Lord's Cricket Ground, London.

8.30 p.m. Deanna Durbin (Vocal) and Mack Weber and His Orchestra.

Still As The Night (Bohm, arr. Benedict); None But The Weary Heart (Chalkovsky, arr. Benedict); Mack Weber and His Orchestra. La Traviata (Verdi)—Libiamo, libiamo ne l'eti calici; It's Raining Summertime (Goslow, Hollander)—Deanna Durbin (Vocal) with Orchestra.

8.50 p.m. London Relay—The Club of Queer Trades' by G. K. Chesterton.

Episode 5: The Noticeable Conduct of Professor Chadd; Adapted for broadcasting by Douglas Cleverdon. Characters: Basil Grant; Gilbert Swinburne; Professor Chadd; Miss Chadd; Doctor Colman; Mr. Binz; Production by Michael Goodwin.

9.15 p.m. London Relay—The News.

9.30 p.m. London Relay—The Royal Court in songs at the piano.

9.45 p.m. London Relay—Sports News and Market Notes.

9.50 p.m. The Gay Nineties Singers.

Botany Bay (Traditional); The One-Horse Shay (Traditional); Hot Codlings (Traditional).

10.00 p.m. London Relay—In Town Tonight!

10.30 p.m. Dance Music.

Fox-Trots—Everybody Dance (film same); When The Popples Pop! Assin—Jack Payne and His Band; Onkstep—Hunkadola (from George White's "Scandals"); Fox-Trot—According To The Moonlight (from George White's "Scandals"); Harry Rosenthal and His Orchestra. Fox-Trot—When April Comes Again; With All My Heart (film "For Me, For Myself, For Thee")—Jack Payne & His Band.

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10.00—Record Music (A).

10.20—Wheat and Grain Report (A).

10.40—"At Home and Abroad" (A).

11.05—Luncheon Music (A).

11.30—Afternoon Musical Programme (A).

1.00—"Just Of Pleadings." Play by James Parish (D).

1.20—Symphony Concert by the B.B.C. Empire Orchestra (D).

2.15—"American Commentary." Talk by Raymond Gram Swing (D).

2.30—News (D).

2.45—"In Town Tonight" (D).

3.15—Sports News and Market Notes (D).

3.30—Young People's Session (A).

4.15—Dinner Music (A).

5.25—Commentary On News (A).

6.30—The National Military Band.

6.45—Music Hall, with the B.B.C. Variety Orchestra (D).

7.45—Band of Queen Victoria's Rifles (D).

8.00—"Modern and Contemporary Composers" (A).

8.15—Cricket: M.C.C. v. West Indies. Commentary by Howard Marshall (D).

8.30—Madrede's Balalaika Orchestra (D).

8.50—"The Club of Queer Trades" by G. K. Chesterton (D); Musical Interlude (A).

9.00—Recorded Feature (A).

9.15—News (D).

9.20—Summary of the day's news (A).

9.30—Ronald Gourley, in Songs at the Piano (D).

9.45—Sports News and Market Notes (D).

10.00—"In Town Tonight" (D).

10.30—"Nocturne in Chelsea." Dramatic chronicle of the events leading up to the Runkin-Whistler trial (D).

11.15—"Henry" Croudsen, at Organ, of Ritz Theatre (D).

11.25—"The Cabin in the Hills," with Big Bill Campbell in his Western scene (D).

12.00—News (D).

12.15—"American Commentary." Talk by Raymond Gram Swing (D).

12.30—Sports News and Market Notes (D).

12.35—Light Music (D).

12.45—Cricket: M.C.C. v. West Indies. Commentary by Howard Marshall (D).

1.00—Close down.

11.00 p.m. Close down.

COLONY HEALTH RETURN

Thirty-nine cases of tuberculosis (one imported), eight each of enteric fever and measles, seven of dysentery and three of diphtheria were notified to the local Health authorities on Friday.

The health bulletin of Eastern ports for the week ending May 6 is as follows: Cholera, Akayab 1 case; Calcutta 196; Rangoon 7; Hongkong 2; Small-pox, Jodhpur 17 deaths; Delhi City 44; Cases, Cawnpore 3, Bombay 7, Calcutta 100, Karachi 1, Madras 18, Rangoon 2, Hanoi 4, Hongkong 3, Shanghai 0.

THE SERVICES

ROYAL NAVY

DUTY AT AIR STATION

In preparation for the taking over for use by the Fleet Air Arm of the R.A.F. stations at Lee-on-Covent, Ford, Worthy Down, and Donibristle, a number of naval officers have been appointed recently to H.M.S. Victory, additional for duty with naval air stations, and among them are certain officers of the medical branch.

The senior of these officers is Surgeon Commander A. C. Shaw, who returned last year from the charge of the naval sick quarters at Wel-hai-wel.

Surgeon Commander F. L. H. MacDowell, late of the battle-cruiser Repulse, has been appointed for duty at the naval air station at Ford, Sussex; and Surgeon Lieutenant-Commander A. N. Forsyth, from the R.N. Hospital at Hongkong, for duty at the naval air station at Worthy Down, Winchester.

COMPLETION OF THE JERSEY

The new destroyer Jersey, second of the Javelin class of 1,690 tons, or 320 tons more than the Intrepid class of the previous year's programme, was completed on April 23 by J. S. White and Co., Limited, Cowes, and completed to full crew at Portsmouth. It is hoped that she will visit St. Helier, Jersey, during the summer cruise.

Lieutenant-Commander A. M. McKillop, who has been appointed to the post, has previously commanded the Scout and Wanderer, emergency destroyers at the Nore, and the Beagle, Keith, and Brilliant, in the 4th Flotilla, Home Fleet. He attended the staff college course during 1936.

COMMANDER J. A. GARLAND

Lieutenant-Commander J. A. Garland, of H.M.S. Cores, in reserve at Devonport, has been placed on the retired list with the rank of commander, but will continue to serve.

ENGINEER STAFF AT PORTSMOUTH

Engineer Rear-Admiral M. G. A. Edwards, O.B.E., is appointed to H.M.S. Victory and will be senior technical officer on the staff of the Commander-in-Chief at Portsmouth in succession to Engineer Rear-Admiral Laurence Turner, C.B., who has served for the normal three years.

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KING'S:
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Assistant Director Les Guthrie issues orders to the extras working in "Waterfront" at Warner Bros. Assorted tough characters gather around to hear his instructions.

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DON'T MAKE A SOUND

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27 Keeps time (5)

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2 Bird (5)
3 Collapsing (5)
4 Fought out (8)
5 Education (8)
7 Zest (8)
12 Belief (8)
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14 Damp (3)
15 Submerge (3)
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21 Scatter (5)
22 Short (5)
23 Bottle (5)

SOLUTION TO-MORROW

LITTLE WHITE LIES THAT LED TO STARDOM

George Washington, whose reputation for honesty is well-established, never could have been a movie star!

Everyone has to fib a little bit to get a chance in Hollywood. Not all of them become involved in such complicated imaginary dramatic careers as those first reported by Margaret Lindsay and Sigrid Gurie but there are usually a few white lies in the background of each established star and featured player.

Pat O'Brien was given his first film job under the misapprehension (not his) that he had played the role of Hildy Johnson in the stage version of "The Front Page" in New York. Actually he had played another role in one of the road companies. Before the "mistake" was discovered Pat had become a Hollywood star.

No effort was made by George Brent with the Abbey Players of Dublin when he was picked, out of imminent discard to appear opposite Ruth Chatterton in "The Rich Are Always With Us."

Brent's work with the Abbey Players was something less than spectacular and served mainly as a blind for his activities as a dispatch runner for Michael Collins during the Irish revolution.

BID FOR STARDOM

It wasn't generally known that Betty Davis had been turned down as a student actress by Eva Le Gallienne long before she made her bid for screen stardom. "Of Human Bondage," "Dangerous," "Jezebel," "Dark Victory," "Juarez" and Miss Davis' second winning of the Academy acting award have probably made Miss Le Gallienne's face progressively pinker each year.

In common with many others, Loretta Young fibbed a little about her age when she started work in pictures. She stretched the truth in the opposite direction from the usual, however. In reality, she was much younger than she claimed to be. Anita Louise did the same thing.

MARLENE'S OMISSION

Marlene Dietrich neglected to mention a husband and child scale, comedy is cleverly introduced, and the stars are in as glorious voice as ever before. Best of the songs they sing are "Sweethearts", "Pretty As a Picture", and a delightfully "impromptu" rendering of that old favourite, "Little Grey Home in the West."

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But he will admit now that he made his early theatrical career sound more important than it was. No, George Washington could never have been a movie star if he had stuck to his reputation of telling the absolute truth.

Even Paul Muni, Greta Garbo and George Raft have a few "cherry trees" in their backgrounds—little white lies that helped to get a toe-hold in a precarious profession.

They have not yet said, as did the Father of his country, "I cannot tell a lie." Nor have they confessed, as Margaret Lindsay did two centuries later, "I was born in Iowa."

DIARY OF LOCAL EVENTS

TO-DAY

ANNIVERSARIES AND HOLIDAYS.
Rogation Day. St. John Baptist de la Salle, Founder of the Christian Schools.
CINEMAS.—(See Column 3 of this Page).

DANCES.—Cheero Club Dance 8:30 p.m.; St. Andrew's Club Flannel Dance and Variety Evening, 9 p.m.

LECTURES.—First Aid, European Y.M.C.A., 11 a.m.; A.R.P., in Public Restaurant, Happy Valley Race Course Stand, 5:30 p.m.; in Chinese, at "K" Godown of H.K. and Kowloon Wharf Godown Co. Ltd., 7 p.m.; Tung Mui Middle School, 127 Heard Street, Wanchai, 7 p.m.; Ying Wah College Kowloon, 7:30 p.m.; Chinese Y.M.C.A., Waterloo Road, Kowloon, 7 p.m.; Home Nursing in Chinese, at Queen Mary Hospital, 8 p.m.

MAILS.—(See Page 16).

MEETINGS.—Annual, of Wm. Powell, Ltd., at Registered Offices, Des Voeux Road Central, 12:15 p.m.; Management Committee, at Union Church, Kennedy Road, 5:15 p.m.; St. Andrew's Church Medical War Working Party, 10 a.m.

MISCELLANEOUS.—St. John's Ambulance Brigade Annual Inspection, on Royal Naval Recreation Ground, Causeway Bay, 5:30 p.m.; St. Andrew's Church Sunday Teachers' Preparation Class, 7 p.m.

MOON.—Chinese III Moon, 28th Day.

RELIGIOUS.—St. Andrew's Church Fellowship of Youth, 6 p.m.

SOCIAL.—Y.M.C.A. Service Men Whist Drive, in the West Lounge, 8:30 p.m.

SPORTS.—(See Page 2).

SUNRISE.—5:45 a.m. **SUNSET.**—5:55 p.m.

TIDES.—High at 06:21 and 16:06. Low at 11:14 and 23:31.

TO-MORROW

MEETINGS.—St. Andrew's Church Brownie Pack (1st Kowloon), 3:30 p.m.; Annual, of Victoria Diocesan Missionary Association, in St. Andrew's Church Hall, 6 p.m.

MOON.—Chinese III Moon, 27th Day.

RELIGIOUS.—St. Andrew's Church Boys' Choir Practice, 6 p.m.

ROTARY MEETING.—At Hongkong Hotel Roof Garden, 1 p.m.

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CAR MISHAP IN YAUMATI

Local Philanthropist Injured

His friends will be pleased to learn that Mr. Tam Shiu-hong, formerly Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Tung Wah Hospital, who was knocked down by a motorcar in Kowloon on Friday evening, is now out of danger.

Mr. Tam, who was walking on the road near the Ping On Theatre, Yaumati, was struck by a car alleged to have been driven by a European and was rendered unconscious. He was taken by ambulance to the Kowloon Hospital and Prof. K. H. Digby was called in for consultation.

Later, Mr. Tam was removed to his house on the island and it was not until 10 o'clock yesterday morning that he regained consciousness.

Mr. Tam, who is more than 60 years of age, took a keen interest in philanthropic and public welfare matters.

MAJESTIES' ARRIVAL

To Be Broadcast From Daventry

Hongkong radio listeners with short-wave sets will be able to listen in to the arrival of the King and Queen at Quebec to-day on board the "Empress of Australia."

A descriptive commentary on Their Majesties' arrival will be broadcast from Daventry at 2.15 p.m. to-day (10.15 p.m. Hongkong Time).

Recordings of the Royal arrival will also be broadcast from Daventry at 8.30 p.m. to-day (4.30 a.m. Tuesday in Hongkong), and at 4 p.m. on Tuesday (midnight in Hongkong).

FALSE REPORT ALLEGATION

GIRL CHARGED AT KOWLOON, REMANDED

Alleged to have made a false report of an armed robbery to the police, a 20-year-old woman, Tsang Shu-yu, was remanded for 48 hours by Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen at the Kowloon Magistracy on Saturday.

In a report at Yaumati Police Station on Friday, she stated that two Chinese, armed with knives, had robbed her of \$12.50 in Austin Road.

The police alleged that no such incident occurred.

Inspector A. E. Carey is in charge of the case.

Clerk Charged With Falsification

Alleged to have made a false entry into an account book of the "Ping Yuen Fan Dim" Cafe, Wong Ching, 24, clerk, was charged at the Kowloon Magistracy on Saturday, with falsification of a document.

An entry made by defendant on December 28, to the effect that he had paid \$490 for repairs and furniture for the cafe, was alleged to be incorrect.

Mr. A. Y. Hon, representing Mr. Peter Sim, for the prosecution, asked for a formal remand for a week. Bail was allowed in the sum of \$500.

AGED WOMAN DEPORTEE

A 71-year-old woman was sentenced to a year's imprisonment by Mr. R. A. D. Forrest at the Central Court on Saturday for a breach of Deportation Ordinance.

She was deported from the Colony on January last for a period of 10 years and had six previous convictions against her.

FUNERAL OF MR. DUNCAN LEE

Many Wreaths At Graveside

The funeral of the late Mr. Duncan Lee, the youngest of three brothers who have distinguished themselves in varied fields of activity, took place on Saturday at the Chinese Christian Cemetery, Kowloon City. The Rev. S. Kau-yun Lee officiated.

Mr. Duncan Lee died at the Kowloon Hospital on Friday morning after a short illness. He was only 36 years of age. He had for several years managed the Fanling Mixed Farm.

The late Mr. Lee is survived by his widow, and his brothers, Mr. W. Yinson Lee and Mr. Lee Chor Chi, and by two sisters, Mrs. Y. K. Chow and Mrs. C. L. Chow.

Wreaths were sent by Mr. and Mrs. Yinson Lee, Mr. Li Chor Chi, Mr. and Mrs. Y. K. Chow, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Chow, Miss Arline Lee, Mr. William Hanchu Lee, the Hon. Sir Shouson Chow, Mr. H. L. Chow, Mr. and Mrs. Chau Fung Chou, Mrs. Violet Chan, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ching, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Tang Chue, Dr. and Mrs. C. W. Chockson, Mr. and Mrs. Lambert Cockchin, Miss Irene Ho, Mrs. Ho Sai-lai, Mrs. Ho Sai-wah, Mrs. Ho Leung, Mrs. Ho Ki, Mr. Ho Kwai-kah, Mr. Ho Tsung-woon, Mrs. Bessie Ko, Mr. Kwok Shu-lam, Mr. Kan Yu-wa, Dr. and Mrs. Li Shu-fan, Dr. and Mrs. Li Shu-pui, Mrs. Li Tze-fong, Hon. Mr. and Mrs. K. Lo, Mr. Lee Kum-wai, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Mow Fung, Dr. and Mrs. Mistowski, Mr. and Mrs. James Ming and Sue, Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Ng Quinn, Mrs. R. Suez, Miss Tso Lai-kai, Dr. and Mrs. Arthur Woo, Mr. Wong Po-keung, Dr. and Mrs. T. P. Wu, Miss Wan Wei-fong, Hong Kong Chinese Women's Club, Kowloon-Canton Railway, Tak Lee Company, Staff of Oversea Chinese Banking Corporation, Sang Loong Company, Poo Kee, and others.

The chief solo part, which is that of the narrator, will be sung by Mr. Gaston D'Aquino, and other solo parts will be taken by Mrs. Gertrude Goddard, Miss Carmen Silva and Messrs. Alec Greaves and David Lyon.

The performance is in aid of the Emergency Refugee Council and is under the distinguished patronage of His Excellency the Governor, who has signified his intention of being present. Admission is \$5 to dress circle and \$2 to the auditorium. All seats may be reserved. Booking is at the office of the Emergency Refugee Council, Gloucester Building, 1st Floor, daily from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

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Perosi Opus To Be Sung

PERFORMANCE FOR E.R.C. FUNDS

The performance of an oratorio is necessarily a rare event in Hongkong, and on the few occasions when one is presented it is generally felt safer to keep to the beaten paths and give one of the old favourites. The Choral Group, under Maestro E. Gualdi, deserve, therefore, all the more credit for attempting something completely new as far as Hongkong is concerned, and giving "The Resurrection of Christ," Lorenzo Perosi.

It is 40 years since this oratorio was written, but it remains the composer's masterpiece. Perosi is now recognised as one of the greatest composers of sacred music of the century.

The oratorio will be presented by the Choral Group at the Fleet Club Theatre on Thursday evening at 9 p.m. It will be sung in full with orchestral and organ accompaniment.

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REGISTRATION OF CHINESE

Forms Ready For Volunteers

Voluntary registration of British subjects of Chinese race, commences this week, forms for this purpose having now been printed.

Forms will be available at the Secretariat for Chinese Affairs, the Hongkong Chinese General Chamber of Commerce, the Chinese Club, at the offices of Hon. Chinese members of the Legislative Council, and at other recognised offices and organisations, including the Post Office and Travel Bureaux.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONG KONG

PROBATE JURISDICTION

IN THE GOODS of Auguste Maurice Chamrion late of No. 28 Rue Eyraud des Vergnes, Saigon French Indo China, Company's Managing Director, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Court has by virtue of Section 58 of the Probates Ordinance 1897, made an Order limiting the time for creditors and others to send in their claims against the above estate to the 10th day of June, 1939.

All Creditors and others are accordingly hereby required to send their claims to the undersigned on or before that date.

Dated the 13th day of May, 1939.

JOHNSON, STOKES & MASTER,
Solicitors for the Administrator,
Hong Kong & Shanghai
Bank Building,
Hong Kong.

THE INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION CO., LIMITED.

The Fifty-eighth Ordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held at the Offices of the General Managers, Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd., Pedder Street, Hong Kong, on Thursday, 25th May, 1939, at noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, passing the Accounts, and electing Directors and Auditors.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 18th May to the 8th June, 1939 inclusive.

By Order of the Board,
JARDINE, MATHESON & CO., LTD.,
General Managers,
Hong Kong, 25th April, 1939.

CHINESE ESTATES, LIMITED.

FIRST INTERIM DIVIDEND.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a FIRST INTERIM DIVIDEND for the year ending the 29th February, 1940, of two per cent, that is \$2.00 per share, will be paid on all shares in this Company on Thursday, the 1st June, 1939, at the Company's Office at China Building, 5th floor.

The TRANSFER BOOK of the Company will be CLOSED from the 29th May to the 1st June, 1939, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
FUNG PING FAN,
Director & Secretary,
Hong Kong, 11th May, 1939.

THE CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LTD.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

The Fifty-Eighth Ordinary Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the Offices of the undersigned on Thursday, the 18th May, 1939, at noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Agents, together with a statement of Accounts for the year ended the 31st December, 1938.

The Share Register and Transfer Books will be closed from the 4th May to the 18th May, 1939, both days inclusive.

JARDINE, MATHESON & CO., LTD.,
General Agents,
Hong Kong, 27th April, 1939.

ADVERTISEMENT

Wm. POWELL, LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Thirty-eighth Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the Registered Offices of the Company, 6, Des Voeux Road Central, on Monday, 15th May, 1939 at 12.15 p.m. for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Board of Directors together with a Statement of Accounts for the year ended 28th February, 1939, and electing Directors and Auditors.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 6th May, 1939 to 15th May, 1939, both dates inclusive, during which period no transfer of shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board,
D. BLACK,
Acting Secretary,
Hong Kong, 3rd May, 1939.

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CONSCRIPTION

THOUGH conscription has not officially been introduced in Hongkong, the Colonial Government has issued a warning in connexion with the Registration of Persons Ordinance, 1939, that prosecutions for failure to register within the period prescribed by this Ordinance, will start immediately upon the expiration of that period, namely, May 31. The public has been given due notice and there can be no excuse, if, when the proper time arrives, they have not registered.

REGISTRATION does not necessarily mean that a conscription or those registered will be called upon for service. The measure is simply a precautionary one and none but slackers will fail to register with the enthusiasm. As has already been pointed out in these columns, no greater service can British residents here render to this Colony and, incidentally, to themselves, than to assist the authorities with the compilation of the local Register by filling their forms "without delay. British subjects here are, on the whole, entirely conscious of their responsibility, but, unfortunately, their sense of duty is not influenced in a large number of cases by a mental attitude more easily discerned than analysed, which causes what can be done to-day to be left undone until to-morrow. There is, we are sure, no lack of interest or unwillingness to respond.

THIS BRINGS US to the question of conscription in Britain, comments on which by the press in various countries makes interesting reading. "La Tribuna" (Rome) describes it as "Britain's Tea-Time Army" and says "When training is undergone at tea-time and when convenient, it becomes useless. Such soldiers scare no one, but only cause pre-occupation to those allies on whose side these amateur soldiers will eventually have to fight." "Voelkischer Beobachter" (Berlin) writes, "London is now going from door to door all over the world trying to find some one to misuse in case of necessity as a dagger against Germany and Italy."

ON THE OTHER HAND, "Figaro" (Paris) says that "the declaration is psycholo-

FINAL BULWARK AGAINST AGGRESSION: "SPIRITUAL MOBILIZATION"

At the usual public meeting of the Maauk Lodge of the Theosophical Society last Thursday, Mr. Percy Chen delivered a most interesting lecture on "Spiritual Mobilization," which was listened to with great interest.

The speaker said that Spiritual Mobilization was a subject which was being considered not only by philosophers, but by practical men and, above all, statesmen, being regarded as the last and final bulwark against the destruction of civilisation.

In China, the people were the victims of aggression in its worst form. Superior military armament on land, air and water was employed by Japan in the invasion of the country. And to this was opposed inadequately equipped military forces which, by all the laws of military science, should have been destroyed and vanquished within the opening days of the war.

MASS TERROR

The bombardment of open towns sought to demoralise innocent civilian inhabitants. And only those who had experienced or witnessed the results of an aerial bombardment could realise the physical and mental torture to which the victims and those near and dear to the victims were subjected. The forces of aggression had sought to bring into play mass terror and had used all conceivable means to achieve their ends.

In some countries the leadership had passed into the hands of men who believed that force ruthlessly used could trample over such things as justice, righteousness or even humanity.

gically important because nothing is doing more harm to Great Britain's prestige, and, as a result, to the peace for which she is working than the present state of her army.

IN THE MEANTIME, it is interesting to note that war insurance risks have recently dropped. Full war equipment for the 200,000 whom the War Office expect to be affected by the Conscription Bill was completely ready on April 26. There is speculation among the undergraduates at Oxford and Cambridge as to the effect of conscription: about one-third of Oxford's male undergraduate population—between 1,000 and 1,200—will be affected.

THE CONTINENTAL press is inclined to think that six months' training is not sufficient, but we consider that a lot of training can take place in that time. In the twentieth century, the standard of education and consequent intelligence has greatly improved. The passing of the horse in the army has relieved the soldier of many hours arduous duties each day. In future, the infantry soldiers will be carried by motorized transport and will not have to carry out long marches as in the past, which took such a long time to make them really fit. At present, a soldier undergoes a course of six-weeks' training to become a motor driver—it took about six times as long to teach him to ride a horse and become an efficient cavalry or artillery soldier. It is considered by the authorities, therefore, that an intensive course carried through by competent instructors will make an efficient soldier in six months.

CONSCRIPTION in Great Britain will have two big effects. It will cause increased activity in the building trade, since new barracks and drill halls must be built, and it will increase the duties of the regular army, the four main ones of which are: (1) to preserve the peace in many places overseas; (2) to form the spearhead of a British expeditionary force; (3) to provide instructors for the territorial army; and (4) to supply a training cadre for the new conscript army.

NOTWITHSTANDING the attempts of the Italian and German press, therefore, to belittle Britain's efforts, the new British force will prove to be so powerful a deterrent to the aggressors that they will think twice before tugging at the lion's tail.

These people were men who had, by a self-imposed distortion of their mental make-up, put in the background the feelings which they should place first—such as pity, mercy, and kindness.

It was difficult to realise that these men were considered sane.

COUNTER AGENT

"In China," Mr. Chen continued, "we have had to carry out a Spiritual Mobilization of the people as the most effective, if not the only, counter agent to the terrible attacks upon the people mentally and physically. It is in this respect that I feel no difference in addressing such a body as the Theosophical Society which is accustomed to discussing affairs of the realm, comparative religion and other less worldly subjects.

"We find the basis of our Spiritual Mobilization in the teachings of Dr. Sun Yat Sen's Three People's Principles. He was able to touch those spiritual characteristics of the Chinese and lay the foundations for the stern resistance which we are now carrying out. "One of the principal attributes of Generalissimo Chiang has been to stimulate our people at the danger points as well as in respect to the dangers which threaten to render our resistance less effective. In this work Madame Chiang initiated the New Life Movement which contributed a great deal in method and content towards the spiritual rampart that has transcended the shells, bullets and bombs of the inhuman enemy."

SEVEN MAJOR SINS

"Of considerable interest to those who would study the movement in China towards creating a new standard of conduct is the series of articles written by Madame Chiang entitled 'Resurgam.'"

In one of these articles she lists the seven major sins which have delayed the fulfilment of the teachings of Dr. Sun. They are "self-seeking," "egoism," "defeatism," "inactivity," "lack of self discipline," "evolution of responsibility."

And it is not too much to say that conscious efforts are being made to eradicate these faults which are common among our people.

"China in the past has contributed much to human progress, material as well as spiritual. In our trials on behalf of world peace, justice, and freedom we have been forced to take up arms. Some experts have estimated that we have over two million men in the field, regulars and guerrillas. The Youth of the Nation are in training for the day that they will also go into battle."

FREEDOM OF THE NATION

"But it must be known that our people are going to war willingly for the freedom of the nation and not for the love or veneration of war. Chinese have no love for militarism or militarists. We want to conquer no people or lands. But we want to be allowed to live in peace."

"The Youth of the world to-day is possessed of a Spirit of Peace. And in China as we have started the Spiritual Mobilization of the entire people for the fight for Peace against aggression; we will ever be in the forefront of the struggle."

When that peace has been achieved in which we are free and untrammelled in our development as a nation, we may be able to give some noble ideals to the new world in which we shall live."

WATER COOLIES FIGHT

A fight between three water coolies over carrying water from a public fountain in Taku street, near Wuhu Street, led to their appearance before Mr. E. Himmworth at the Kowloon Magistracy on Saturday, charged with disorderly conduct.

One defendant was discharged owing to lack of evidence. The other two were bound over in the sum of \$10 for one year.

Charged with avoiding payment of ferry fare on Friday, while travelling on board the ferry "Man Kwok" Chan Pok, 28, was fined \$15 by Mr. Q. A. A. Macdadyen, at the Kowloon Magistracy on Saturday.

"BISLEY" MEET CONCLUDES

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Several of the other finalists were well in the running for third place, E.R.A. Keller and E.A. Gilpin, both of the 4th Submarine Flotilla, taking fourth and fifth prizes with scores of 312 and 311 points respectively.

Weather conditions were unfavourable to good marksmanship, the heat, the wind, the varying light, and the glare of the sun especially being sorely trying to the competitors.

FINAL PLACINGS

The other 14 finalists finished within 11 points of one another, the final placings being as follows:

Sgt. Heap, N.R.S., and Cadet Carey, N.V.E., each 310 points; Lt. Otway, R.E., and Sgt. Roberts, H.K.P., each 309; Sub-Insps. Chau, H.K.P., and E.R.A. Templeton, 4th S/M., each 308; C.S.M. Maslem, R.E., and Lt. Le Seellier, R.E., each 307; P/Sgt. Chan, H.K.P.R., 306; Mr. Austin, Dockyard Rifle Club, 305; Cpl. Cole, 304; C/Sgt. Hale, 1/Mx, 301; Sgt. Gowans, H.K.P., and Sgt. Cooper, 1/Mx, each 300.

A feature of the competition for the Governor's Prize was the success of the three competitors from the Police Reserve, who, competing for the first time in the competition for the Governor's prize, qualified to contest the final round. One of the three, Police Sergeant Thong, did well to win Third Prize.

The Hongkong Police Reserve, competing as a team, were successful also in winning another event decided yesterday, the International Match, China being victorious with a total of 233 points.

Mr. W. Austin, of the Dockyard Rifle Club, finished in 15th position, to be listed among the prize-winners in the Governor's Prize competition for the fourth year in succession.

The Army defeated the Navy in the Senior Members' Match, the winning team comprising Major-General A. E. Grasset, the G.O.C., Major S. E. H. E. White, of the 3/Royal Scots, and Major R. Robertson, of the R.A.S.C.

MAJOR MURRAY

His Excellency the Governor gave away the prizes. Among the prize-winners was Major G. F. Murray, the Hon. Secretary of the H.K. Rifle Association, who received also a silver cigarette-box, suitably inscribed, presented by the members of the Association in token of gratitude for the valuable services rendered by him to the H.K.R.A.

Several other competitions were also concluded or decided yesterday.

The results follow:—The Secretary's Cup Competition: Sgt. Perkins, H.K.P., 33 points; Mr. Boulton, D.R.C., 33; C.P.O. Davey, 4th S/M., 32; P.O. Swan, N.R.S., E.R.A. Keller, 4th S/M., S. I. Chau, H.K.P.R., E.A. Gilpin, 4th S/M., and E.A. Templeton, 4th S/M., 32.

Association Machine Gun Match: 1st "D" Coy, 2/Royal Scots, 2nd Middlesex "B"; Services M.G. Challenge Cup: won by "D" Coy, 2/Royal Scots.

Inter-Imperial Prize List: Winner, Royal Navy; Inter-Universities Prize-List: Winner, Edinburgh University.

THANKS EXPRESSED
The President of the Association, Major R. D. Walker, M.C., on behalf of the members, thanked Major Murray for his services to the Association, when announcing the presentation to him of a silver cigarette-box. Among others who contributed in no small measure to the success of the meeting were Capt. Newton, of the Middlesex Regt., who was responsible for the inauguration of and arrangements for the claydall shooting competitions, Garrison S.M. Estall, Mr. J. Hargreaves, Capt. Nell, L/C. Eddy, and others, men of the Middlesex Regt., the 2/Royal Scots, and the Corps of Military Police, who had worked behind the scenes.

CARPENTER'S TOOLS STOLEN

Appearing before Mr. R. A. D. Forrest at the Central Court on Saturday, charged with the theft of a carpenter's box of tools valued at \$8, Wu Lam, 23, was sentenced to three weeks' hard labour.

A similar term was imposed on Cheung Ming, for receiving stolen property.

Cheung was arrested, while attempting to sell the articles. At the Police Station he offered to take the police to the complainant and the first defendant.

Sentence of three months' hard labour was passed on Kwan Young, 21, who was found guilty by Mr. R. Edwards, at the Central Court on Saturday, for theft of ten dozen singlets from No. 18, Lee Yuen Street (West) on Saturday.

Hello & Goodbye

(BY A. W. HYER)

The winter spirit has been neatly packed in the moth-balls! A carefree and holiday atmosphere prevails, many people have the twinkle of adventure in their eye as they scan "steamer sailing lists and make itineraries."

Quite a few residents are becoming "vacation conscious by Maersk Line," according to the agents (Jensen and Co.) who state the arrival of the new m.v. Laura Maersk on her maiden voyage created a bit of "stir" and much telephone ringing for various data and information concerning passenger-freighter travel.

Down to Manila went Captain J. N. Nixon in his Honolulu Clipper, Saturday, 8.30 a.m.

Round-tripping were Lieut. Ralph Smith, U.S.N., Walter Houghton, and Mr. D. Axe, PAA staff members. Mr. R. Elderidge, Pan American's Number One of operations from Guam to Hongkong, returned to his desk in Manila after a two weeks inspection at this base. There were more Navy and Army in the persons to Capt. C. M. Simpson, Jr. U.S.N., who disembarked from the President Pierce to take an air journey to his new destination in the Philippines. And Lieut.-Colonel D. Franklin, U.S.A., a very fast talking medical man who has been travelling in the Far East.

Though their names were not divulged, three generations of a Chinese family went on an air journey to Manila. There was grandmother, mother and three young children, quite a tiny family!

President Harrison

WHEN THE round-the-world steamer of the American President Line stopped by our port, on Friday afternoon, there were very few visitors for Hongkong.

Mr. P. G. Van Donselaar came down from Kobe where he takes care of the affairs of his native-land Sweden. And Mrs. A. Jefferson was the second visitor. Clad in green shorts and blouse and attempting to make a very black "Scottie" pup behave, the lady announced she anticipated spending three or four months in this city. All she was interested in at the time of arrival was a completely modern and furnished apartment which she desired to rent, evidently the lady had not heard about the refugees and crowded conditions in the Colony!

A family of no "mean proportions" was travelling on the President Harrison.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Cable, were another set of vacationers, though they do not anticipate the weather in the Indian Ocean. They were looking forward to England in summer which evidently cannot be beaten anywhere.

M. C. H. Unbehahn and Miss L. Unbehahn, of the Hume Pipe Co., were travelling down on a combination business and pleasure trip to Singapore.

And at the rail we spotted Mr. A. Murdoch, Jardine, Matheson and Co. The goodbyes on the pier report he is off to London and a holiday.

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Two youths, Leung Chi-shing, age 19, and Fung Shu-shit, age 20, created new weight lifting records in their respective classes and have been awarded, accordingly, with Certificates of Merit for their performances.

Leung Chi-shing, whose weight was 130½ lbs. did a "Two Hands Clean and Jerk" with 210 lbs. and holds that record for the 10-stone class.

Fung Shu-shit, the all-round athlete and weight lifting champion, created another sensational lift when he successfully performed the "Two hands Snatch" with 160 lbs. at a bodyweight of only 116 lbs.

The British Amateur Weight Lifting Association champion, Boey Chee-choon, of Singapore, did 156 lbs. at a bodyweight of 112 lbs. (8-stone class). These two pupils, whose excellent records compare favourably with many champions of Hongkong schools and clubs are entering the competition for the title of "Hongkong's Strongest Youth" that is to be held in September or October under the auspices of Maurice College of Physical Education.

At the rate they are progressing they will be fair representatives for China in the Olympics.

Cheung Yum, 1938 prize winner has graduated, and is No. 6 on the list and, accordingly, has been made a Member of the College, a special distinction only for Graduates.

ARRESTED WITHIN 48 HOURS
LONDON, May 14 (Reuter)—At Manchester yesterday, three Irishmen and one Irish woman were remanded in custody as a sequel to Friday "bomb" outrages. It is pointed out that arrests have been made within 48 hours of every recent I.R.A. terror act, and that over forty Irishmen are now in prison.

THE HAGUE, May 13 (Reuter)—The order banning Socialist newspapers from circulating in military establishments, has been rescinded by the Minister for Naval Defence.

The order was made following the mutiny and subsequent bombing of the battleship "De Zeven Provinciën" in the East Indies in 1933.

The newspapers took the mutineers part, writing of "brave disobedience."

RESULTS OF first-class cricket matches which were concluded today were as follows:—Lancashire drew with the West Indies; Surrey beat Worcestershire by 398 runs; Nottinghamshire beat Cambridge by ten wickets. Middlesex beat Essex by two wickets in a tight finish.

GLOUCESTER 165 (Howarth 6 for 45; Martin 4 for 44).

Warwick 183 (Steele 6 for 62); Hampshire 168 for 3, Somerset 372 for 6 (Gimblett, 108, Lee, 145 not out) against Lancashire.

Leicester 229; Sussex 181 for 5, M.C.C. 435 for 7 (Compton 115) against West Indies.

Notre 469 for 7 (Gunn 119) against Glamorgan.

Yorkshire 169; Kent 100, Yorkshire 86 for 1.

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TURKEY TO MARCH SIDE BY SIDE WITH BRITAIN

Sincere Friendship And Collaboration

Stirring Speech In National Assembly By Premier

LONDON, MAY 14 (REUTER).—"SINCERE FRIENDSHIP AND THE CLOSEST COLLABORATION WITH BRITAIN" were the words used in the vote of confidence passed by the Turkish Grand National Assembly when it approved the announcement of the Anglo-Turkish agreement on Friday evening, according to advices received in London from Ankara.

Announcement of conclusion of the Anglo-Turkish Agreement by Dr. Refik Saydam, the Premier, was delivered in a crowded House, and the note struck by his stirring speech, which breathed appreciation of British friendship, was echoed by subsequent speakers.

At the outset the Turkish Premier impressed on the Assembly the tremendous historical importance of this agreement to Turkey.

He reminded them that events had recently occurred with lightning speed.

The Government's original policy had been to remain neutral, but when events spread to the Balkans and the question of security in the eastern Mediterranean became involved, Turkey was exposed to a danger which rendered maintenance of the neutrality policy impossible.

TURKISH SECURITY

"The Mediterranean should be free to all nations on a footing of equality, and any attempt to interfere with that freedom would endanger Turkish security."

"Turkey has made up her mind to co-operate and, if necessary, to fight with those equally anxious to preserve peace."

In a striking sentence, Dr. Saydam said: "I ask the authorisation of the Grand National Assembly to march side by side with Britain, whose aim is to save the world from the disastrous consequences of war."

PATRIOTIC FEELING

The speech awoke patriotic feeling in the Chamber in an exceptional degree.

Fethi Okyar, lately Turkish Ambassador in London, followed, and grimly pointed to a recent European event.

"One country has been wiped off the map in 24 hours, Rumania has been presented with a sort of ultimatum, Albania has lost her independence to Italy, who already possesses islands close to Turkey, where troops and war material are being concentrated."

UNTIRING EFFORTS

Other Deputies paid high tribute to Britain's untiring efforts to safeguard the security and independence of all countries and to her determination to oppose violence, by arms, if necessary.

They declared that Turkey's army and fleet, in collaboration with Britain's armed might, would indisputably assure peace in the Mediterranean.

The Assembly passed a unanimous vote of confidence in the Government, approving "sincere friendship and the closest collaboration with Britain."

NEW RECRUITS TO REGULAR ARMY



New recruits to the Regular Army leaving Great Scotland Yard to join their units.

Bulgar Bared Wiped Out

FRONTIER CLASH IN RUMANIA

LONDON, MAY 14 (REUTER).—"GREAT INDIGNATION HAS BEEN AROUSED IN BULGARIA owing to a frontier clash in Southern Dobrudja, in which Rumanian gendarmes are reported to have killed 23 Bulgars of a band of 25."

The Rumanian version says that the Bulgars made a raid across the frontier and attacked Rumanian farms, where they were arrested by the gendarmes.

When passing through the woods, shots were heard and the gendarmes thought they were being attacked. A fight arose, in the course of which 23 Bulgars were killed.

The Rumanian Legation in Sofia is heavily guarded to prevent demonstrations.

ANGLO- RUSSIAN TALKS: BRITISH HOPES

LONDON, May 14 (Reuter).—The newspapers hope the Anglo-Soviet talks will be completed very soon, suggesting that the existing Turkish-Soviet friendship will be a valuable aid to the Anglo-Soviet talks.

"The Times," commenting on the Anglo-Turkish Agreement, says Turkey to-day is more united than ever in history.

Turkish foreign policy in recent years has been prudent, realistic and pacific.

She is not only a European power but an Asiatic power, and her prestige with the Arabs is increasing.

CHUNGKING AIR AID CASUALTIES

5,000 KILLED; 2,000 WOUNDED

CHUNGKING, May 14 (Reuter).—The Japanese bombings of Chungking on May 3 and May 4 caused civilian casualties of 5,000 killed and 2,000 wounded, and destroyed 2,391 buildings in the city.

This is according to a declaration made yesterday by Dr. Yen Fuching, Director of the National Health Administration.

Dealing with Chinese sufferings in the present war, Dr. Yen stated that the number of Chinese soldiers killed and wounded was now well over 1,000,000.

Six million children must be cared for by the State because their parents are either killed or missing.

Refugees forced to seek refuge away from their homes are now well over 50,000,000, of which 16,000,000 are destitute and have to be supported by the State.

Referring to the shortage of doctors and nurses, Dr. Yen stated that China has only 9,000 trained doctors and 6,000 nurses, which is far from sufficient.

The Army Medical Service at present maintains 300,000 beds for wounded soldiers, with a medical staff of 20,000 workers.

FILM ROMANCE

Robert Taylor Weds Barbara Stanwyck



Barbara Stanwyck, as she appeared in "Stella Dallas."

SAN DIEGO, May 14 (Reuter).—Robert Taylor, M. G. M. star of "A Yank at Oxford," "The Crowd Roars" and "Northwest Passage" (with Spencer Tracy) was married to-day to Barbara Stanwyck, M. G. M. film actress who played the leading role opposite Warner Baxter in "Stella Dallas" and has appeared in many other successes.

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SIGNATURES WILL BE HONOURED

LONDON, May 14 (Reuter).—Britain and France have given their word to a number of countries in the cause of peace, and they will keep their word and honour their signature, declared M. Bonnet, in Southampton, at a meeting of the Alliance Francaise yesterday.

He added: The co-operation of Britain and France has never been closer and their common policy has never been more plain.

Nazi Riot, Danzig Terror

ANTI-POLISH INCIDENTS

GDYNIA, MAY 14 (REUTER).—WHILE POLES IN DANZIG WERE CELEBRATING MARSHAL PILSUDSKI'S MEMORY, a Nazi crowd rioted in the streets, wrecking a Polish restaurant, smashing the windows of a Polish newspaper distributing organization, and stoning a portrait of Marshal Pilsudski.

During these events, the Senate, which is predominantly Nazi, sent the Polish authorities their apologies for the recent bombing incident when a Polish Customs official's house was damaged and also for the armed attack by Nazis on the Polish station-master at Marianau, who was critically injured.

PROVOCATIVE ATTITUDE

A message from Warsaw states that the windows of Polish restaurants, business houses and private houses in Danzig were smashed yesterday evening.

The press is criticising the Danzig senate, declaring that its attitude is provocative and that it cannot control the situation.

"The Gazeta Polska" writes: "Polish opinion sees in the attitude of the Senate proof of ill-will of the authorities who are trying to provoke incidents between the Poles and the Danzigers."

Greece, Yugoslavia And Bulgaria

WANG CHUNG-HUI ON KULANGSU LANDING

CHUNGKING, MAY, 14 (CENTRAL).—INTERVIEWED TO-DAY REGARDING THE JAPANESE LANDING AT KULANGSU, DR. WANG CHUNG-HUI, MINISTER FOR FOREIGN AFFAIRS, CALLED ATTENTION TO THE FAILURE OF THE JAPANESE CONSUL, WHO IS A MEMBER OF THE KULANGSU MUNICIPAL COUNCIL, TO NOTIFY THE COUNCIL BEFOREHAND REGARDING THE LANDING.

Dr. Wang declared that the landing was carried out apparently to sound the real attitude of the Powers regarding the Far East, and it was meant to be a preliminary step toward the seizure of the International Settlement in Shanghai and other areas of similar status.

Recalling that Japan had repeatedly violated the interests of third Powers in China, Dr. Wang said that if these Powers did not want to see their interests expelled from the Far East, the only course open to them was to adopt sanctions and retaliatory measures against the aggressor.

YOUNG GIRLS DO POLICE DUTY

A bevy of 600 young and attractive girls are performing police duties in Chungking to relieve the regulars who are overworked owing to constant duty since the disastrous air raid last Thursday.

Attired in khaki blouses, breeches and long hoses, these girls line the streets every fifty yards to take up heat and traffic duty. (International).



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CANADA'S BEFLAGGED CITIES & TOWNS AWAIT ROYAL VISITORS

OTTAWA, MAY 14 (REUTER).—IN CONSEQUENCE OF THE DELAY IN THE ARRIVAL OF THE EMPRESS OF AUSTRALIA, it is officially announced that the Royal visit to Ottawa will be curtailed to three days instead of the four on the programme. Their Majesties are expected to reach Ottawa on Wednesday.

The Inter-Departmental Committee organizing the tour is now busy revising the programme and promise to announce the revised plans as soon as it is known at what time the Empress of Australia will reach Quebec.

Cities and towns throughout Canada are beflagged and decorated for Their Majesties' eagerly-awaited arrival and the destroyers Skena and Saguenay have gone to the entrance of the Gulf of St. Lawrence to meet the Empress of Australia and escort her here.

FIRST WELCOME

As the "White Empress" steams up the St. Lawrence, Their Majesties will have the taste of their first Royal welcome which Canada has been months preparing.

Long chains of bonfires will be lit, the bells of the riverside churches will peal, guns will thunder a royal salute as the liner arrives at Wolfe's Cove and Mr. Mackenzie King, the Premier, will welcome Their Majesties on board.

FRENCH CANADA

French Canada's preparations are equal to the British in lavishness. Two gigantic crowds, which will be illuminated at night, flank the river banks, the public buildings are swathed in flags and even the smallest shops display Their Majesties' portraits.

At Wolfe's Cove a profusely beflagged pavilion has been erected on the quayside, where

Their Majesties will receive notabilities. The French language dominates everything here and even the fireworks display will trade French words of welcome in the sky and 5,000 children will sing "Dieu Protège le Roi".

GIANT ICEBERGS

LONDON, May 14 (Reuter).—Reuter's special correspondent on board the Empress of Australia reports that another large ice floe was seen yesterday evening, but that the liner was apparently nearing the end of the iceberg season.

The liner reversed her engines on two occasions owing to the icebergs. Three shrill blasts of the siren at 12.30 p.m. yesterday proclaimed: "We are reversing engines," and out of the fog ahead there loomed an iceberg right in front. It had been spotted by the vigilant look-out men. The liner again advanced, but a few minutes later again had to reverse.

After another advance, a slight lift of the fog revealed the largest iceberg yet sighted a quarter of a mile away.

QUEEN'S CHEERFULNESS

One thing that has been maintaining the spirits of everyone on board is the unfailing cheerfulness of the Queen. "It's almost like being Arctic explorers," the Queen was heard to remark as she discussed iceberg conditions with the officers.

Interests

SHORTAGE OF TROOPS

JAPANESE PLANS ON SWATOW FAIL

From Our Own Correspondent CHUNGSHAN, May 14.—Owing to insufficient forces despite the arrival of replacements, the Japanese threat to occupy Swatow has failed to materialize, while the state of precaution there has not been relaxed. It was learned here this morning.

Another reason for the failure to attack on Swatow is ascribed to a snag in the plan of Admiral Seizo Kobayashi, the Governor General of Formosa, who was reported to be the author of the Blas Bay landing on October 12, 1938. He mapped another plan to invade Swatow, but his proposals have not yet been approved by Imperial Headquarters.

Admiral Kobayashi is to leave Taihouku to-day or to-morrow for Tokyo for a new plan to occupy Swatow, Changchow, Chuenchow and Foochow, towns along the Fukien coast. Chinese Intelligence reports doubted whether the Admiral's plan will be approved, as he is due to be succeeded by Admiral Takahashi, or Admiral Fuchita, as Governor General of Formosa.

CHINESE ADVANCE

Meanwhile, Chinese troops having recaptured Sunwul on the delta of the West River are charging northward with Kongmoon as the objective. It is expected that Kongmoon will be recaptured soon. Where the enemy has retreated is not clear, but it is believed that they have escaped westward.

Other Chinese contingents on the East River valley have recovered Leechiangau near Tsengcheng, which suffers repeated assaults of the Chinese in their vigorous counter-attacks. In Lungkow south-west of Tsengcheng, the Japanese forces under Chinese pressure are retreating to Taiwo near Canton.

Despite their reinforcements, the enemy position is worse off over the week-end.

Indissolubly Bound

Together

Germany's New Pact With Italy

HITLER DRAFTED MILITARY SECTION

PARIS, MAY 14 (REUTER).—THE TERMS OF THE MILITARY PACT BETWEEN GERMANY AND ITALY, said to have been put forward by Herr Hitler, are reported in a despatch from Rome appearing in Sunday's "Matin."

The Military Section of the Pact is stated to have been drafted by the Reichs Fuehrer himself. The period of the Pact is stated to be ten years, after which it will be subjected to revision.

MILITARY ARTICLES

The "Matin" correspondent gives the military articles as follows:

1. In the event of a European conflict, Rome and Berlin will immediately undertake military consultations.

2. The contracting parties will agree to consider their interests indissolubly bound, meaning that in the event of a conflict they will form a military bloc immediately and unify commands and strategic action.

3. The contracting parties bind themselves to lay down their arms only simultaneously after agreement.

POLITICAL SECTION

The Political Section is alleged to be based on the Rome-Berlin Axis principles, but Germany is said to have added two supplementary points:

1. The contracting parties agree to mutually respect each others friendly relations with third powers, where they are determined by well-defined treaties.

2. They will agree not to negotiate or sign any new agreement without previous consultations between Rome and Berlin.

DIPLOMATS, JOURNALISTS: NARROW ESCAPE

Chungking Air Raid Sequel

CHUNGKING, May 14 (Reuter).—The French and Belgian Charges d'Affaires and three journalists returning from a visit to the French Naval Barracks to ascertain the extent of the damage of yesterday's Japanese air raid, narrowly escaped death when they were crossing the Yangtze in a sampan, which was cut in two by a river steamer.

The diplomats and the journalists were flung into the water and battled for a long time against the swift currents before being rescued by Chinese junkmen in another sampan.

The French Naval Barracks were found to be undamaged, but the American office in the vicinity was set on fire.

The raid is believed to have caused some 300 casualties and it is claimed that three Japanese planes were destroyed.

OFFICIAL'S VISIT

CHUNGKING, May 13 (Central).—Gen. Wang Chan-shu, Chairman of the Szechwan Provincial Government, personally visited the hospitals and refugee camps yesterday to "comfort" the victims of the recent Japanese aerial bombings in Chungking.

He revealed that the Provincial Government had appropriated \$50,000 for emergency relief.

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BASEBALL UPSET: SOUTH CHINA SPANK RECREIO: U.B. TROUNCE MINDANAO

(BY R.O.Y.)

At Caroline Hill on Saturday afternoon, a Hongkong Baseball Club team, that looked more like a softball line-up, held the reputedly powerful Chinese Baseballers to a two-run margin. Although the Chinese finally scraped through on the long end of an 8-6 score, the result was a moral triumph for the Hongkong Baseballers, who were not expected to be within 10 tallies of their opponents final score.

Earl Wong, suffering from a sore arm, was yanked from the mound in favour of Wally Ching after conceding the opposition 6 runs on, but two hits in 2 innings. Once again the Chinese played like a bunch of rookies in the field, but they improved to help Wally Ching hold "Doc" Molthen's gang, hitless and scoreless over the final 5 frames.

Yesterday morning, the Union Brewers accounted for the U.S.S. Mindanao, by 9 runs to 4, in a match in which the winners were favoured by all breaks. Hits were even, each squad garnering 7 apiece, but although the sailor boys displayed some heavy hitting, the extra base hits came when no runners were on bases.

FINE FEAT

The winners, on the other hand, had at least two men on the sacks every time a bingle occurred. Thomas, of the Mindanao, was the standout man of the game, clouting 2 round trippers, with drives which cleared the right-field bank—a feat which has never before been duplicated in official League games.

Hunter "Crooner" Ruej was suffering from a sore arm, the result of his hard battle against the Chinese last week, and was relieved by Charlie Horton early in the game. "Big" Douglas was another casualty and also left the game.

Moh'dn Arcull again pitched steady ball and for the second game in succession issued no walk. In addition to his excellent display on the mound, Arcull was the most consistent hitter in the match, garnering 3 hits in 4 times at bat. Terry Leonard distinguished himself in the opposite manner by striking out 4 times.

A BIG UPSET

In the best game seen since the start of the season, South China created a big upset when they trounced the much famed Recreio squad by 7 tallies to 5, each team committing but 1 error.

Johnny Alvarez started on the mound for the Portuguese lads, but, after conceding the opposition 7 markers in the first 2 stanzas, was replaced by Spotty Pereira, who succeeded in holding the opposition scoreless for the remainder of the game.

The South China veterans who were considered by many critics to be a bunch of has-beens, surprised the fans with their sound defensive work. Outstanding in

this respect was Pau Ka-ping, noted soccer goalie, who gave a brilliant display at the Windy Alley.

EFFECTIVE BATTING

Bull Hong Sling proved to be the most effective batter, connecting for two double baggers. C. C. Lee lasted the full 6 innings quite comfortably and received sound support from C. C. Leung behind the plate. Another football star, Fung King-cheong, also made a grand showing at centre field and the Baseball League is, indeed, fortunate in obtaining these great drawing cards. The Recreio gang gave a much improved fielding display, but could not make their hits count for full value.

Spotty Pereira, triple, double and a single and Johnny Alvarez with a triple and a single were the heaviest stick artists for the losers. Mike Mendonca was very sound behind the plate and was in the limelight with a hard-hit two bagger to centre-field.

THE SCORES

The inning by inning scores of these three clashes are as follows:

CHINESE B.C.		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Runs	Hits
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	1-8	0-8
		3	2	0	0	2	0	1	1	0	0-8	0-8
		4	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0-8	0-8
HONGKONG B.C.		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Runs	Hits
		3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0-6	0-6
		1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0-2	0-2
U.S.S. MINDANAO		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Runs	Hits
		0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2-4	0-4	0-4
		1	1	3	0	1	0	1	0	1-7	0-7	0-7
U. S.		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Runs	Hits
		0	0	4	0	1	4	x-9			x-9	x-9
		0	1	2	0	1	3	x-7			x-7	x-7
RECREIO		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Runs	Hits
		0	0	2	0	1	1	1-3			1-3	1-3
		0	0	2	0	2	3	2-9			2-9	2-9
SOUTH CHINA A.A.		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Runs	Hits
		2	5	0	0	0	0	0-7			0-7	0-7
		2	4	2	0	0	0	0-8			0-8	0-8

PREAKNESS STAKES RESULT

PIMLICO, May 13 (Reuter).—The Preakness Stakes, run here to-day, resulted as follows:—1—Mr. W.L. Brann's Chaldean; 2—Wheatley Stables' Gilded Knight; 3—Saratoga Stables' Voltant.

The betting on these were 5 to 1; 1 to 4 and 10 to 1. Johnstown, which was joint favourite with Gilded Knight, set the pace for the first three-quarters, but finished fifth.

Soccer

Italy Hold England To Draw

Fascist Salute At International

MILAN, May 13 (Reuter).—Sixty thousand spectators saw Italy hold England to a two-all draw in the international soccer match played here to-day, on a heavy ground and under an overcast sky.

England led one-nought at half time, having shown marked superiority up to then, following a headed goal by Lawton in the nineteenth minute.

Almost immediately after the resumption, however, Blavati equalised, and then Pola put the home side ahead, with the English defenders hotly appealing for hands.

In the 77th minute Hall levelled the score, shooting through a crowd of players in the goalmouth. England's team comprised:—Woodley; Male, Haggood; Willingham, Cullis, Mercer; Matthews, Half, Lawton, Golden and Broome.

MUSSOLINI NOT PRESENT
Signor Mussolini did not attend the match, but both his sons were present. All the players lined up in the centre of the field prior to the start, and stood to attention while the National Anthems of both countries were played, the Englishmen giving the Fascist salute.

Before the game General Vaccaro, President of the Italian Football Federation, appealed to the crowd not to barrack, but to treat both sides equally regarding applause.

SALFORD SCORE OVER C'FORD

Record Crowd At Rugby Match

LONDON, May 13 (Reuter).—A crowd which broke all records for attendances for an English Rugby league match witnessed Salford's victory over Castleford on Manchester City's ground by eight points to six to-day.

The official attendance was estimated at 69,280, receipts totalling £3,400, excluding ticket money. Conditions were perfect, and Salford won after a rousing game, the winning try being scored eight minutes from time.

At the Chinese Y.M.C.A., Bridges Street, to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock, a basketball game will be played between the Hongkong League champions, "Sling Tao Jih Pao," and the runners-up in the final, South China Athletic Association. Proceeds from admission will be devoted to charity.



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THE SERVICES

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CADETS SEA TRAINING

H. M. S. Vindictive, Captain H. C. Borell, cadet training cruiser, has left Chatham for Scottish waters on her summer cruise. Thirty-five cadets who passed out from the R.N. College, Dartmouth, last joined her and 61 who were entered as special-entry cadets in January '38 for executive and 23 for engineering duties joined the Vindictive, after spending their first term in the Frobenius at Portsmouth.

MEDITERRANEAN STAFF

Commander R. M. Dick, D.S.O., late in command of the Basilisk in the 4th Destroyer Flotilla, Home Fleet, has taken up duty on the staff of the Commander-in-Chief, Mediterranean Fleet, in H.M.S. Warspite.

NAVAL APPOINTMENTS

The following appointments are made by the Admiralty:—G. C. Dickens, to Courageous (May 4). Lt.-Cdr. (S/L. R.A.F.)—A. A. Murray, to Victory (undated). Lt.-Cdr. (A.)—G. N. P. Stringer, E. Esmonde, to Victory for f.i.d. at Lee-on-Solent; J. H. Bander, to Victory for f.i.d. at Ford (May 1). Chaplain—Rev. J. A. Bramley, to Courageous; Rev. J. Armstrong, to Victory for R.N.B. (May 2). Lt. (S/L. R.A.F.)—P. E. C. Judd, reattached to R.A.F., and applied to Victory for f.i.d. at Lee-on-Solent (April 3). Lt.—G. Affleck Graves, to Pembroke for Sig. Sch., add. (May 22).

Lt. (A.)—J. L. M. Bell, to Victory for R.A.F. Worthy Down (April 27). Lt. (A.)—H. H. Satow, to York (May 1); G. W. Bird, to Pembroke for M.T.E. (May 6).

Sub-Lt. (A.)—L. E. M. Methven, to Argus; M. J. S. Newman, to Victory for Lee-on-Solent (April 28); A. F. Aude, D. F. R. Williams, L. R. Tivy, S. M. de M. Longdon, to Victory for R.A.F. Worthy Down; R. G. How, to Victory for course at Lee-on-Solent (April 27).

Pay: Sub-Lt.—J. V. A. Musters, to Renown (May 1). Cd. Engr.—E. W. Cole, to Kelly (May 7). Gunner (T)—D. E. Wright, to Bel-Promotion.

Pay: Sub-Lt.—W. S. A. Lucas, to rank of Payr. Lt. (seny. May 1).

ROYAL AIR FORCE

WING COMMANDER WOLLEY
Wing Commander J. R. Wolley, recently promoted, is among the officers who were appointed to commissions from the warrant grades of the R.N. A.S. when the R.A.F. was formed. He is a specialist in signals, and for the past year has served at the School of Army Co-operation, Old Sarum.

GROUP CAPTAIN NOAKES
Group Captain Jack Noakes, A.P.O., M.M., of H.M.S. Courageous, was promoted to that rank on April 1 and is not, as has been stated, a wing commander.

AIR PILOT TO CHAPLAIN
The Rev. J. A. Bramley, who has been appointed Chaplain of H.M.S. Courageous, aircraft-carrier, held a short-service commission in the R.A.F. in November, 1932, as pilot officer. He entered the Navy as a chaplain in 1934.

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Finance and Commerce

Draft Bill Of Ordinance For Health, Safety And Welfare Of The Community

The "Government Gazette" publishes the draft Bill of an Ordinance for the promotion of the health, safety, convenience and general welfare of the community by making provision for the systematic preparation and approval of plans for the future lay-out of existing and potential urban areas as well as for the types of building suitable for erection therein.

This Ordinance may be cited as the Town Planning Ordinance 1939.

(1) The Governor may appoint a Town Planning Board consisting of such official and unofficial members as he may nominate, and may appoint any member of the Board either ex officio or personally, as chairman or vice-chairman and any public officer as secretary thereof.

(2) Five members of the Board one of whom must be the chairman or vice-chairman, shall form a quorum at any meeting of the Board.

With a view to the promotion of the health, safety, convenience and general welfare of the community, the Board shall undertake the systematic preparation of draft plans for the future lay-out of existing and potential urban areas as well as for the types of building suitable for erection therein. In the course of preparation of such plans the Board shall make such inquiries and arrangements (including, if it thinks fit, the taking of any census of the occupants of any buildings or of the users of any thoroughfares or spaces) as it may consider necessary for the preparation of such drafts.

(1) The Board's draft plans for the lay-out of any area, may show or make provision for:—

(a) streets, railways and other main communications;

(b) zones or districts set apart for use for residential, commercial, industrial or other specified uses;

(c) reserves for Government purposes;

(d) parks, recreation grounds and similar open spaces.

(2) The Board may recommend to the Governor, in Council the resumption of any land interfering with its plans for the lay-out of any area; and resumption to avoid such interference shall be deemed to be resumption for a public purpose within the meaning of the Crown Lands Resumption Ordinance, 1900.

(3) Except in the case of resumption under the said Ordinance no compensation shall be paid to the proprietor or any person interested in any holding by reason of the fact that it lies within or is affected by any zone or district set apart under paragraph (b) of sub-section (1) of this section.

Every draft plan, prepared under the direction of the Board, which the Board deems suitable for submission to the Governor in Council for approval, shall be exhibited by the Board for public inspection at reasonable hours for a period of two months. During such period the Board shall advertise once a week in a local newspaper and shall notify in each issue of the Gazette the place and hours at which such plan may be inspected.

CONSIDERATION OF OBJECTIONS

(1) Any person affected by the draft plan so exhibited may within the said period of two months send to the Board a written statement of his objections to anything appearing in the draft plan.

(2) Such written statement shall set out:—

(a) the nature of and reasons for the objection;

(b) if the objection would be removed by an alteration of the draft plan, any alteration proposed.

(3) Any such written statement shall be considered at a meeting of the Board, of which the objector shall be advised, and the objector or any duly authorized representative may attend and shall be heard if he so desires.

(4) The Board may reject any objection in whole or in part or frame amendments of the draft plan to meet such objection.

(5) Where, however, any amendment appears to the Board to affect any land, other than that of the objector, held under lease from the Crown, the Board shall adjourn its meeting and give such notice by service, advertisement or otherwise as it deems desirable and practicable to the owner of the land in question. Any written objection to an amendment received within fourteen days after the giving of such notice shall be considered at the adjourned meeting of the Board at which the original objector and the objector to the amendment or any duly authorized representative shall be given an opportunity to attend and be heard.

7. After consideration of all objections, the Board shall submit the draft plan, with or without amendments, to the Governor in Council for approval, and shall submit therewith:—

(a) a schedule of the objections (if any) made under section 6 and not withdrawn;

(b) a schedule of the amendments (if any) framed by the Board with a view to meeting such objections.

(1) Upon submission of a draft plan the Governor in Council may:—

(a) approve it;

(b) refuse to approve it;

(c) refer it to the Board for further consideration and amendment.

(2) The Governor in Council may approve a draft plan notwithstanding that any requirements of this Ordinance applicable thereto have not been complied with.

(3) A draft plan approved as aforesaid is hereinafter referred to as an "approved plan."

(4) The Governor in Council may by notification in the Gazette correct any omission from or error in any approved plan.

(5) On such approval being given the approved plan shall be printed and exhibited for public inspection at such place as the

BEST SCIENTIFIC BRAINS FORM COMMITTEE

CIVIL DEFENCE PROBLEMS

Plans to enlist the best scientific brains in the country and research facilities of the universities in connexion with problems of civil defence are announced.

The special committee, appointed to advise on the formation and execution of research and experiment and to survey programmes already in progress with a view to securing the fullest possible co-ordination, which comprises eight eminent engineers, scientists and physicists and will be under the chairmanship of Dr. E. V. Appleton, D.Sc. F.R.S., secretary of the Department of Scientific and Industrial Research, one of the world's greatest radio experts and discoverer of the Appleton layer in the upper atmosphere.

The members include Professor Baker, distinguished engineer, Professor Bernal, physicist, who has made a special study of the methods of dealing with air menace, Dr. Darwin, grandson of the famous naturalist, who is a director of the National Physical Laboratory, Professor Peppard, who has carried out structural work for a number of aeroplane firms, Professor Southwell, who advised the Government on air raid shelter policy, Professor Taylor, who is an air pilot and during the war was engaged on experimental aeronautic and meteorological work, and Professor Thomas, Professor of Engineering, Cardiff University. (BWS)

Board may consider suitable and the fact of such approval and exhibition shall be notified in the Gazette.

(6) The Board shall supply a copy of any approved plan to any person on payment of such fee as the Board may determine.

REFUSAL TO APPROVE PLAN

If the Governor in Council refuses to approve a draft plan such refusal shall be notified in the Gazette; but any such refusal shall be without prejudice to the preparation of a new draft plan and the submission of the same.

A copy of the approved plan, certified by the Chairman of the Board shall be deposited in the Land Office and the Land Officer shall make a note thereof in the register relating to any parcel of land which appears to him to be affected thereby.

The Governor in Council may revoke in whole or in part any approved plan or may refer it to the Board for replacement by a new plan prepared, exhibited, considered, submitted, approved and deposited in accordance with the foregoing provisions of this Ordinance. Notification of any such revocation or reference shall be published in the Gazette, and noted by the Land Officer on the plan deposited under section 10. The Land Officer shall also amend as may be necessary any note made in the register under that section.

Until so revoked or replaced, approved plans shall be used by all public officers and bodies as standards for guidance in the exercise of any powers vested in them.

The Governor in Council may make regulations for the purpose of facilitating the work of the Board and generally for the purpose of carrying the provisions of this Ordinance into effect.

Any expense incurred with the sanction of the Governor by the Board in connexion with the exercise of its powers or the performance of its duties under this Ordinance or the regulations made thereunder shall be met from moneys voted by the Legislative Council.

OBJECTS AND REASONS

This Bill, which provides for the appointment of a Town Planning Board and for the preparation by that Board of draft plans for the future lay-out of existing and potential urban areas, as well as for the types of building suitable for erection therein, and for the approval of such plans by the Governor in Council as standards for the guidance of all public officers and bodies in the exercise of powers vested in them, is intended as the first step taken to implement the Report, dated the October 11, 1938, of the Housing Commission (Sessional Paper No. 12 of 1938).

Anglo-U.S. Barter Plan

GOVT. APPROACHES TIN AND RUBBER COMMITTEES

LONDON, May 14 (Reuter).—The "Financial News" learns that the International Rubber and Tin committees have been approached by the Government in connection with the projected Anglo-American barter plan.

The plan provides for the mutual exchange of commodities, especially those required for war purposes.

It is understood that the Government is pressing the Committees to agree to the barter arrangement.

Numerous Objections

The British Government is aware of the numerous objections to the United States proposals, but is taking the line that the special interests of the rubber and tin industries are outweighed by the political advantage of an agreement with the United States on the plan for which the latter cherishes a great affection.

The view quoted in American circles is that acceptance of the barter idea by Britain was the result of clever diplomatic action by the United States, only possible owing to the acute condition of European political affairs.

The United States gets rubber and tin, of which it has no surplus holdings, by reducing its own commodity surpluses, for which there is no apparent normal demand.

U.S. COAL STRIKE SETTLEMENT: WORK RESUMING TO-DAY

LONDON, May 14 (Reuter).—The New York correspondent of the "Daily Telegraph" says that efforts to settle the American coal strike have made sufficient progress to ensure resumption of production in the majority of the mines on Monday.

Mr. John L. Lewis, head of the Committee of Industrial Organisation, is already in a position to claim almost complete victory in the fight to establish the supremacy of his Union (the United Mineworkers of America) in the softcoal field.

In regions outside the Appalachian area, where the strike originated, work has already begun.

'PORTS OF THE COLONY'

By virtue of and in exercise of the powers conferred by Sections 21 and 42 of the Merchant Shipping Ordinance, 1899, the Governor in Council hereby makes the following amendments to Table W under the heading "Ports of the Colony" in the Regulations to the Ordinance appearing on pages 337 and 388 of the Regulations of Hongkong (1937 edition).

AMENDMENTS.

1. Tsun Wan and the limits thereof are deleted and the following substituted:—

Tsun Wan. The area of water in Tsun Wan Bay bounded on the west by a line drawn due north from the north-western extremity of Cap Island to the Mainland and on the south by a line drawn due east from the southern extremity of Cap Island to the mainland.

2. Immediately after the above is inserted the following:—

Sham Cheng. The area of water between Ma Wan Island and the mainland, bounded on the east by a line drawn due north from the northeastern extremity of Ma Wan to the mainland, and on the west by a line drawn due north from the north-western extremity of Ma Wan to the mainland.

GREEK SUGAR TAX TO HELP DEFENCE

ATHENS, May 14 (Reuter).—The imported sugar tax in Greece has been increased by about half a penny per pound. The extra revenue thus derived will be devoted to defence.

CONDITIONS IN TAIYUAN UNDER JAPANESE RULE

CHUNGKING, May 12 (Central).—Conditions in Taiyuan, Shansi capital under Japanese occupation, were described by a business man who slipped through the Japanese lines and has arrived in Chungking.

"Outwardly," the informant said, "the city presents a quiet and peaceful appearance. Under threat of death, practically all the shops have been reopened. But, whereas they formerly dealt in native and foreign goods, now they are selling Japanese goods exclusively. The streets are quieter than before, because more than half of the population has left the city to join the guerrilla forces."

MILITARY NOTES

"The Japanese are circulating military notes of their own, and forcing the Chinese merchants to accept them as a medium of exchange."

"The Chinese, however, persist in the use of the National currency, in spite of repeated declarations that the Chinese national dollar will be valueless after certain dates."

"Recently the Japanese set up a 'native bank' there, trying to accelerate their economic domination."

According to the informant, Chinese in Taiyuan are frequently molested by the Japanese. Nobody dares walk the side streets alone, whether man or woman, young or old. Even being on the main

streets involves the danger of being accosted by drunken Japanese. Of course there are Chinese police who are supposed to "maintain peace and order," but they dare not interfere with the Japanese.

PEACE PROPAGANDA

"On the other hand," the informant continued, "the Japanese are intensively spreading their propaganda advocating peace and a New Order in East Asia through Sino-Japanese cooperation. They insist that Japan is not fighting China because the two countries belong to the same race and have identical culture. Not even the Japanese, however, believe this propaganda."

For fear of Chinese guerrillas the Japanese dare not open all the city gates even in daylight and only three small gates are open under the strict vigilance of sentries. Atop all the gates are mounted guns and artillery, and when the guerrillas attack at night all the guns may be heard in action at once.

The number of foreigners in Taiyuan has greatly diminished. All except the missionaries have left.

CROWN RENTS ORDINANCE

The "Government Gazette" notifies that H. E. the Governor has proclaimed that the Crown Rents (Apportionment) Ordinance, 1938, (Ordinance No. 4 of 1938) shall apply to, and come into operation as regards:—

Marine Lot No. 128, Inland Lot No. 211, Inland Lot No. 419, Inland Lot No. 636, Inland Lot No. 678, Inland Lot No. 730, Inland Lot No. 734, Inland Lot No. 1028, Inland Lot No. 1261, Inland Lot No. 2690, Inland Lot No. 2786, Inland Lot No. 3100, Remaining Portion of sub-section 2 of section A of Kowloon Inland Lot No. 359, Remaining Portion of section E of Kowloon Inland Lot No. 359, Kowloon Inland Lot No. 421, Kowloon Inland Lot No. 570, and Kowloon Inland Lot No. 1080, as from May 12, 1939.

DROUGHT IN NORTH CHINA

CHUNGKING, May 14.—Peiping, Tientsin, Paoing and other towns in Hopei are experiencing a drought. No rain has fallen since the arrival of spring.

The Japanese scheme of cotton planting has suffered a heavy blow as a result of the lack of rain.

Production of leather footwear in Canada in the month of January amounted to 1,520,598 pairs which established a new high output for that month. Production in January 1937, totalled 1,461,629 pairs. Exports of leather footwear in January totalled 23,666 pairs of which New Zealand took 8,471 pairs, Jamaica 8,513 pairs, and the United Kingdom 5,735 pairs.

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Bank Bills, on demand 1/3 23/32	Credits 4 months' sight 1/3
On Shanghai:	On demand 177 1/8
On Singapore:	On demand 52 5/8
On Japan:	On demand 105 1/8
On India:	Telegraphic Transfer: 81 7/8
On New York:	Bank Bills, on demand 98 11/16
Credits, 60 days' sight 29 3/16	On Batavia:
On demand 53 3/8	On Paris:
Bank Bills, on demand 133 1/2	Credits 4 months' sight 112 1/2
On Saigon:	On demand 108
On Manila:	On demand 57 5/8
On Bangkok:	On demand 151
Sterling Notes:	"Bank Buying Rate" 1/3 29/32
Bar Silver per oz. 20 1/16	

Market Report

FROM KOZA BROS

Silver prices dropped 1/16 yesterday for both deliveries, the quotations being 20 1/16 for Ready and 19 7/8 for Forward. Silver advances reported India and Speculators as having sold. The market closed steady with buyers at the quoted rate, sellers bid 1/16 over. American Silver was quoted at 42 3/4 for Spot.

The London/New York cross-rate was quoted at 468.12. New York/London was quoted at 468.3/16.

Market

Sterling

Business was done early in the morning at 1/2, 27/32 for June and also for May. Later some business was also arranged at 1/2, 13/16 for October. The market closed with sellers at 1/2, 13/16 May/September and 1/2, 25/32 October/December, buyers at 1/2, 27/32 May/October and 1, 2 13/16 November/December.

U.S. Dollars

Some business was done early in the morning at 23 15/16 for May 28 13/16 was also reported for August. The market closed with sellers at 23 7/8 May/June, 23 13/16 July/August and 23 3/4 September, buyers at 23 15/16 May/June, 23 7/8 July/August and 23 13/16 September.

Shanghai Dollars

178 5/8 for Spot.

Shanghai Market

Quiet. Sellers of Sterling at 8 1/8 for Spot and U.S. Dollars at 16 1/16 for Spot.

Shanghai Exchange

Shanghai, May 13 (Reuter).	
Opening	0/8
London	15-5/8
New York	56-7/8
Japan	5-4/8
Paris	52-3/8
Hongkong	52-3/8
Open Market—Selling Rates	
Sterling	Opening Closing
Spot	0/8-1/4 0/8-1/4
May	0/8-7/32 0/8-7/32
June	0/8-11/64 0/8-11/64
July	0/8-1/8 0/8-1/8
U.S. Dollars	
Spot	16-1/16 16-1/16
May	16-1/32 16-1/32
June	15-29/32 15-29/32
July	15-13/16 15-13/16
Market:	Very quiet.
Merchant Rates	
Sterling, 0/8-7/32.	
Dollars, 16.	
Silver Duty Rate	
The Central Bank of China's rate on London at 10 a.m. to-day was 1/2-1/2d. unchanged from yesterday.	
The Equalisation rate was 5 1/2 per cent.	

Calcutta Exchange

Calcutta, May 13 (Reuter).	
T.T. on Japan, 78-1/2.	
India Rupee Paper	
Bombay, May 13 (Reuter).	Govt. 3 1/2 Rupee, 14-10-0.

New York Exchange

New York, May 13 (Reuter).	
T.T. on London (Opening Rate).	468-3/16.

LONDON GOLD

London, May 13 (Reuter).	
Bar Gold, Fine per oz., 148 5/8.	Dollar, Parity.

SILVER MARKET

LONDON SILVER	
London, May 13 (Reuter).	Silver—Small Indian Demand.
Market quietly steady.	Spot, 20-1/16d.
Forward, 19-7/8d.	
NEW YORK SILVER	
New York, May 13 (Reuter).	Official Price, unquoted.
BOMBAY SILVER	
Bombay, May 13 (Reuter).	Market—Quiet. Offtake 25 bars.
Indian Mint Silver	Ready 53-00
June 15 Settlement 52-14	July 12 Settlement 52-11

TANNING IN
CANADA

The tanning industry in Canada dates back to 1665 when the early settlers established plants to preserve the hides from their domestic early and from the wild animals.

To-day, tanning is one of the chief manufacturing industries in the Dominion. Its annual output supplying a large proportion of the requirements of the leather-using industries of Canada as well as providing for a substantial export trade.

The value of the output of the tanneries has increased steadily during the past five years and in 1937 reached a high total of \$26,269,794.

Imports of hides and skins that year were valued at \$6,329,054 and of tanned leather \$3,861,130, coming mainly from Argentina, Australia and New Zealand.

LONDON METALS
EXCHANGE

London, May 12 (Reuter).	
COFFER	
Standard, Cash 41-5/8	41-11/16
Standard.	3 months 41-15/16 42-1/16
Electrolytic 48-1/8	48-3/8
TIN	
Standard, Cash 225	225-1/2
Standard.	3 months 222-1/2 222-3/4
LEAD	
Foreign, Official Price 14-1/2	14-5/8
Foreign Official	3 months 14-3/4 14-13/16
SPELTER	
Ordinary, Official Price 13-11/16	13-13/16
Ordinary, Official	3 months 14 14-1/16

CANADA'S OIL YIELD

Increased oil production in Alberta raised Canada's percentage of British Empire oil production from 7.1 per cent. in 1937 to 13.8 per cent. in 1938. Alberta production increased 3,945,131 barrels to 4,742,039 barrels in 1938 over 1937. Of the total, the Turner Valley field produced 99 per cent.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

QUOTATION

MAY 14, 1939	
STOCKS	Last Sale May 13
Adams Express	71
Allegheny Steel Co.	163
Allied Stores	71
Allis Chalmers	33 1/2
Amerasia Corp.	25 1/2
Amer. Can.	86 1/2
Amer. & Foreign Power	21
Amer. Gas & Elec.	33 1/2
Amer. Locomotive	17 1/2
Amer. Metals Co.	28
Amer. Radiator	12
Amer. Rolling Mill	14
Amer. S'ing and R'ing Co.	41
Amer. Sugar R'ing	19
Amer. Tel. & Tel.	161 1/2
Amer. Tobacco "B"	80 1/2
Amer. Waterworks	92
Anaconda Copper	24
Atchafalca, T. & S. Fe.	28 1/2
Auburn Motors	54
Baltimore & Ohio	13 1/2
Barber Asphalt Co.	14
Barnsdall Oil	22
Bendix Aviation	56
Bethlehem Steel	101 1/2
Bliss & Co.	22 1/2
Boeing Airplane Co.	23 1/2
Borg-Warner	20 1/2
Biggs Manufacturing	20 1/2
Brooklyn-Mhattan Trans.	—
B'klyn-Mhattan \$5 cum pf.	—
Canadian Pacific Rwy.	41
Case, J.I.	17 1/2
Celanese	32 1/2
Chesapeake & Ohio	67 1/2
Chrysler Corp.	64
Columbia Gas & El.	64
Columbia 6% "A" pf.	45
Commercial	45
Commonwealth & S. (ord.)	14
C'wealth & S. 6% cum pf.	59
Consolidated Edison	31 1/2
Consolidated Oil	7 1/2
Continental Can	36 1/2
Continental Oil	23
Corn Products	57 1/2
Curtiss Wright (C.)	52
Curtiss Wright "A"	25 1/2
Deere & Co.	193
Distillers Corp. Seagrams	18
Douglas Aircraft	63 1/2
Du Pont de Nemours	142 1/2
Eagle Picher Lead	8 1/2
Easton Mfg. Co.	22
Elec. Autolite	29 1/2
Elec. Bond & Share	8
Elec. Bond & Share \$5 pf.	62 1/2
Elec. Bond & Share \$6 pf.	62 1/2
Elec. Power & Light \$7 pf.	19 1/2
Flintkote	19 1/2
Food Machinery Corp.	27 1/2
Gen. American Trans.	46
Gen. Electric	34 1/2
Gen. Motors	42 1/2
Gen. Railway Signal	18 1/2
Glidden Co.	17
Goodrich (B.F.)	17
Goodrich 5% pf.	26 1/2
Goodyear Tire & Co.	26 1/2
Great Northern Iron Ore	13 1/2
Great Northern Rly. pf.	10 1/2
Great Western Sugar	18 1/2
Greyhound Corp.	11 1/2
Hecker Products	11 1/2
Homestake Mining	66
Industrial Rayon	19 1/2
International Harvester	58 1/2
Int. Nickel	48 1/2
STOCKS	
Last Sale May 13	
Int. Tel. & Tel.	71
Johns Manville	71
J. & Laughlin Steel \$7 pf.	38 1/2
Kennecott Copper	31 1/2
Libbey-Owens-Ford Glass	43 1/2
Lockheed Aircraft	25 1/2
Loew's Inc.	43 1/2
Manhattan Shirt Co.	35 1/2
Martin, Glen L.	35 1/2
McKesson, Robbins	13
Monanto Chemical	98 1/2
Montgomery Ward	48 1/2
Nat. Dairy Products	14 1/2
Nat. Distillers	14 1/2
National Gypsum	42
National Lead	19 1/2
Nat. Power & Light	71
National Steel Corp.	60 1/2
Nat. Supply Corp.	81
New York Central	14 1/2
Niagara Hudson Power	61
N. American Aviation	15 1/2
North American Co.	21 1/2
Northern Pacific	81
Pacific Gas & Elec.	30 1/2
Pacific Lighting	46 1/2
Packard Motors	31
Paramount Pictures	8 1/2
Pennsylvania R.R.	18
Phelps-Dodge	31 1/2
Phillips Petroleum	35 1/2
Public Service of N.J.	35 1/2
Pullman Inc.	28 1/2
Pure Oil	71
Radio Corp. of Am.	61
Republic Steel	15 1/2
Reynold Tobac. "B"	36 1/2
Richfield Oil	81
Safeway Stores	39 1/2
Schenley Distillers	71
Schenley 5 1/2% pf.	71
Sears Roebuck	72 1/2
Seversky Aircraft	31
Shell Union Oil	11 1/2
Soco-Vacuum Oil	12
Southern Pacific	13
Southern Rly \$5 pf.	20 1/2
Sperry	42 1/2
Standard Brands	61
Stand Gas & Elec.	31 1/2
Standard Oil of California	25 1/2
Standard Oil of N.J.	46 1/2
Stone & Webster	27 1/2
Swift International	18 1/2
Technicolor	18 1/2
Texas Corp.	37 1/2
Texas Gulf Sulphur	28 1/2
Trans-America Co.	50 1/2
20th Cent. Fox	20 1/2
20th Cent. Fox \$1 pf.	74
Union Carbide & Carbon	94
United Aircraft	37 1/2
United Airlines Trans.	21
United Corp. \$3 cum pf.	—
United Gas Corp.	2
United Gas Improvement	12 1/2
U.S. Rubber	38
U.S. Rubber \$5 pf.	98 1/2
U.S. Steel	46 1/2
Vanadium	19 1/2
Warner Bros. Pict.	5
Westinghouse Elec.	61
Woodward Iron Cor.	16 1/2
Chase National Bank	32 1/2
National City Bank	25 1/2

DOW JONES AVERAGE

1939	
High	Low
154.65	151.44
24.33	24.14
38.52	37.71
22.33	22.06
49.12	48.58
May 14, 1939	
High	Low
154.78	151.44
24.33	24.14
38.52	37.71
22.33	22.06
49.12	48.58
Change	
34 up	19 up
34 up	19 up
34 up	19 up
34 up	19 up
34 up	19 up
Business Done—180,000 shares	

HONGKONG SHARE QUOTATIONS

STOCK EXCHANGE	
SHAREBROKERS' ASSOCIATION	
SATURDAY 13, MAY.	
Buyers	Sellers
Banks	
H.K. Bank	1380
Do. (Col. Reg.)	284
Do. (Lon. Reg.)	271
Chartered Bank	271
Mercantile Bk. "A"	271
Mercantile Bk. "C"	271
Bank of East Asia	271
N. C. & S. Bank	271
Insurance	
Canion Insurance	1380
Union Insurance	1380
Underwriters	1380
Shipping	
Douglas	867
Steamboats	867
Union (Pref.)	867
Indo-China (Def.)	867
Shells	867
Waterboats	867
Docks, Wharves, Godowns, etc.	867
H.K. & K. Wharves	
Providents (new)	470
H.K. & W. Docks	171
Do. (new)	171
Shanghai Docks B.	101
New Engineering B.	101
Mining	
Kailash	19/6
Bauba	19/6
Venezuela Gold Fide	19/6
Hong Kong Mines	19/6
Lands, Hotels and Buildings	19/6
H.K. Hotels	19/6
H.K. Lands	19/6
Do. 4% Debentures	19/6
Shanghai Lands S.	19/6
H.K. Realities	19/6
Humphreys	19/6
Chinese Estates	19/6
Cotton Mills	
Ewo (S.)	18/70
Shai Cottons (S.)	18/70
Zong Sing (S.)	18/70
Wing On Textiles (S.)	18/70
Public Utilities	
Tramways	18/70
Peak Tram (old)	18/70
Peak Tram (new)	18/70
S'at Ferris	18/70
Do.	18/70
China Lights (O)	18/70
China Lights (New)	18/70
China Lights Rte.	18/70
H.K. Electric	18/70
Macao Electric	18/70
Sandakan Lights	18/70
Telephones (old)	18/70
Telephones (new)	18/70
Traction	18/70
Traction (pref.)	18/70
Industries	
Cald, Macg. (Ord.) S.	18/70
Cald, Macg. (Pref.) S.	18/70
Canton Iron	18/70
Cement	18/70
Ropes	18/70
Miscellaneous	18/70
Dairy Farm R.R. Rte.	18/70
Dairy Farm R.R. Rte.	18/70
Ch. E'tainments	18/70
Constructions (old)	18/70
Constructions (new)	18/70
Leas Cranes	18/70
Nanyang Tobacco	18/70
Sunco	18/70
Watsons	18/70
Ch. G. 6% 1925 \$Bds.	18/70
H.K. Govt. 4% Loans	18/70
H.K. Govt. 3 1/2% Loan	18/70
H.K. Wing On	18/70
Shai Wing On	18/70
Vibro Piling	18/70
Margamav. (Lon.)	18/70
Margamav. (H.K.)	18/70
Wm. Powell	18/70
*Sale to Shanghai	18/70

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

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The following quotations are the middle prices at the close of the market in London. All quotations are subject to confirmation and no responsibility is assumed for errors in transmission.

London, May 12.	
War Loan, 3 1/2% (Red after 1952)	92 1/2
Canton-K'loon Rly. 5%	19 1/2
1898 (Brit. Issue)	19 1/2
Chinese 4 1/2% Gold Loan	87 1/2
Chinese 5% Gold Bonds, 1925-47	64 1/2
Chin. 4 1/2% Anglo-French Loan, 1908	61
Chinese 5% Crisp Loan, 1912	36
Chinese 5% Reorg. Loan, 1913 (Ldn. Is.)	52
1925 (Wickers)	17 1/2
Chin. Imperial Rly. 5%	63
Hukuang Rly. 5%, 1911	21
Hukuang Rly. 5%, 1911 (German Issue)	20 1/2
Lung Tsing & U. Hai Rly. 5%	18 1/2
Shai-N'king Rly. 5%	26
Tientsin-Pukow Rly. 5% (Brit. Stpd.)	18
Tientsin-Pukow Rly. 5% (German Stpd.)	18
Tientsin-Pukow Rly. 5% (Brit. Stpd. Supl. Loan)	18
Jap. 5% Ster. Loan, 1907	36 1/2
Jap. 5% Ster. Loan, 1924	44
Ger. 5% Intl. Loan, 1924	35
Chartered Bank (Ldn. Reg.)	84
H.K. & Shai Bank (Ldn. Reg.)	84
H.K. & Shai Bank (Col. Reg.)	84
Chinese Eng. & Mining (beaser)	19/6
Chosen Corporation	5/6
Pekin Syndicate	2 1/2
Shai Elec. Constr. Co.	25 1/2
Shai Waterworks "A"	19 1/2

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 * NOSIRO MARU 27th May

NEW YORK via Panama.

* TERUKUNI MARU 18th May
 * BAKUSAN MARU 3rd June
 * HARUNA MARU 17th June

LONDON, MARSEILLES, NAPLES via Sues.

* YAMAGUCHI MARU 18th May
 * KATORI MARU 3rd June
 * YASUKUNI MARU 30th May

SYDNEY & MELBOURNE via Manila, Davao, Thurs-

day Island, Brisbane.
 KAMO MARU 27th May

BOMBAY via Singapore & Colombo.

* ZINZAN MARU 26th May
 * GINYO MARU 9th June

RANGOON & CALCUTTA via Singapore

KOBE AND YOKOHAMA

* ATUTA MARU (Direct Nagasaki) 19th May
 * KATORI MARU 3rd June
 * YASUKUNI MARU 30th May

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SHIPPING



DUE TO-DAY

Hiram, Norwegian, 1,108 registered tons, Capt. T. Olsen, from Bangkok, a.m. at buoy No. B7.—Thoresen & Co. (Tel. 30237).
 Danmark, Danish, 5,342 registered tons, Capt. Hjermum, from Europe and Straits, p.m. at buoy No. A7.—East Asiatic & Co. (Tel. 34111).
 Changon, British, 2,235 registered tons, Capt. L. N. Beer, from K. C. Wan, p.m. at C.M.S.N. Wharf.—Changon & Co. (Tel. 34181).

ARRIVED SATURDAY

Marie Moller, British, 357 registered tons, Capt. Miller, from Swatow, at Williamson's Wharf.—Jebshun & Co. (Tel. 24553).
 Kwai Sang, British, 1,435 registered tons, Capt. F. Webster, from Shai, and Swatow, at buoy No. B8.—J. M. & Co. (Tel. 30311).
 Sung Shan Maru, Japanese, 1,503 registered tons, Capt. H. Kurochi, from Amoy, at O.S.K. Wharf.—N.Y.K. (Tel. 30291).
 City of Athens, British, 4,187 registered tons, Capt. Gardner, from Japan and Shanghai, at buoy No. A2.—Bank Line. (Tel. 27791).
 Glenshiel, British, 5,789 registered tons, Capt. Brown, from Europe and Straits, at Holt's Wharf.—J. M. & Co. (Tel. 30311).
 Arthur F. Corwin, British, 6,077 registered tons, Capt. William Wood, from Los Angeles, at Lai Chi Kok.—Standard Vacuum & Co. (Tel. 30203).
 Miramar, Swedish, 856 registered tons, Capt. K. W. Wickstrom, from Samarida at buoy No. B28. Shewan Tomes & Co. (Tel. 27781).
 Canton Maru, Japanese, 1,647 registered tons, Capt. S. Nishino, from Canton at O.S.K. Wharf.—O.S.K. (Tel. 28061).
 Hareldawins, British, 651 registered tons, Capt. J. E. Harvey, from K. C. Wan at buoy No. B4.—Tal Fung & Co. (Tel. 20093).
 Hong Peng, British, 2,525 registered tons, Capt. J. B. Crawley, from Straits, at buoy No. A9.—Ho Hong & Co. (Tel. 26127).

ARRIVED YESTERDAY

Kulmerland, German, 4,366 registered tons, Capt. W. Pschmider, from Japan and Shai, at buoy No. A5.—Jebshun & Co. (Tel. 31205).
 Laura Maersk, Danish, from U.S.A., Japan and Shanghai, at K'loon Wharf.—Jebshun & Co. (Tel. 31205).
 E Sang, British, 2,055 registered tons, Capt. S. Schofield, from Shai and Swatow, at West Point Wharf.—J. M. & Co. (Tel. 30311).
 Tjibadak, Dutch, 4,801 registered tons, Capt. Graaff, from Shai, and Amoy, at Kowloon Wharf.—J.C.J. Line. (Tel. 28015).
 Kaying, British, 1,572 registered tons, Capt. E. H. Histed, from Shanghai and Swatow, at buoy No. B7.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).
 Tsinan, British, 2,100 registered tons, Capt. J. K. Clark, from Shai and Amoy, at buoy No. B7.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).
 Kalgan, British, 1,558 registered tons, Capt. F. Gibbs, from Bangkok, at buoy No. B7.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

DUE TO-MORROW

Dahpu, Norwegian, 1,146 registered tons, Capt. Sven, from Shai and Swatow, a.m. at buoy No. B7.—J. M. & Co. (Tel. 30311).
 Granville, Norwegian, 3,507 registered tons, Capt. Hassel, from Manila, a.m. at buoy No. A7.—Bank Line. (Tel. 27791).
 Cremer, Dutch, 2,770 registered tons, Capt. Ahlers, from Straits, a.m. at buoy No. A7.—J.C.J. Line. (Tel. 28015).
 Menestheus, British, 4,646 registered tons, Capt. J. E. Bluth, from Japan and Shai, a.m. at buoy No. A2.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).
 Ninghal, British, 1,482 registered tons, Capt. W. Paul, from Tientsin and Swatow, a.m. at buoy No. B7.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).
 Bhutan, British, 2,912 registered tons, Capt. F. McEwen, from Europe and Straits, 6 p.m. at K'loon Wharf.—M. M. & Co. (Tel. 27721).
 Tancred, Norwegian, from New York and Manila, a.m. at buoy No. A7.—Dodwell & Co. (Tel. 28021).

SAILED SATURDAY

Ming Sang for Haiphong
 Wing Wah for K. C. Wan
 Lyeemoo for Saigon
 Sung Shan Maru for Canton
 City of Athens for Cebu
 Rhein for Manila
 Seisan for Swatow
 Carthage for Spore
 Foo Sing for Hongay
 Shantung for Manila
 Islami for Kobe
 Canton Maru for Formosa

SAILED YESTERDAY

Hallingen for Saigon
 Willy for Spore
 W. Sang for Swatow
 Hupoh for Swatow
 Helikon for K. C. Wan
 Indira for Swatow
 Arthur F. Corwin for Manila
 Glenshiel for Shai
 Toba Maru for Saigon
 Helen Moller for Swatow
 Christine Marie for Saigon
 Kait Sang for Spore
 Hareldawins for K. C. Wan
 Kulmerland for Spore

SHIPS IN HARBOUR

Shum Shui Po—Foch
 Yaumiati—Cape St. Francis
 West Point—Kaying, Tsinan & Kalgan
 West Point Wharf—E Sang
 Kowloon Wharf—Tjibadak

DOCKS

Talkoo—Newchuan and Albert Sarraut
 Kowloon—Tonjer, Fernbrook

BUOYS

No. A 8—Taiping
 No. A 9—Hong Peng
 No. A10—Tathylus
 No. A13—Artemisia
 No. B 3—Holhow
 No. B 6—Breviken
 No. B 8—Kwai Sang
 No. B18—Hannah Moller
 No. B28—Hatterlock
 No. B28—Miramar

SAILING TO-DAY

Tai Ping, British, 2,532 registered tons, Capt. A. M. Frame, from buoy No. A8 for Manila and Sydney, 10 a.m.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

SAILING TO-MORROW

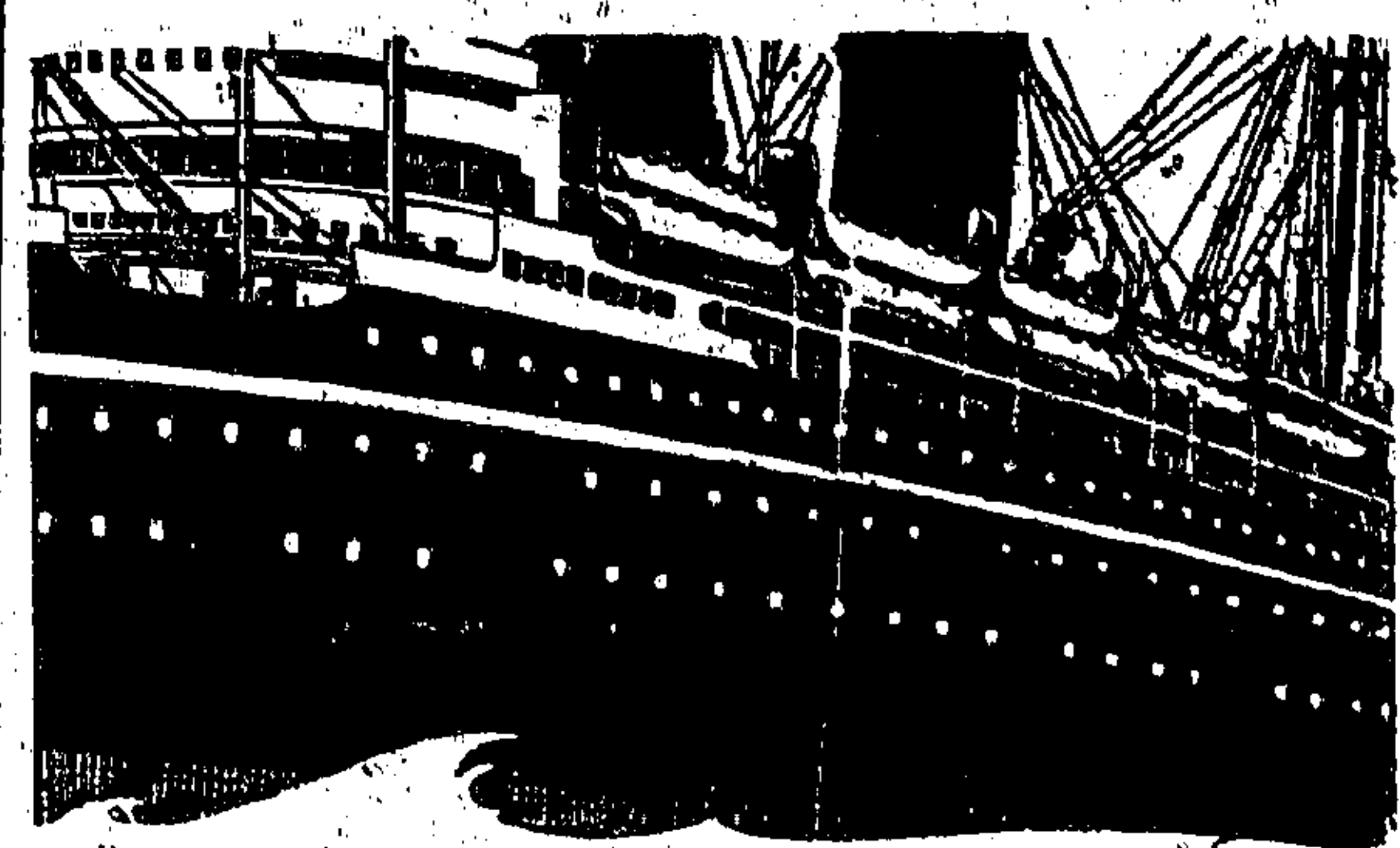
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 Kaying, British, 1,572 registered tons, Capt. E. H. Histed, for K. C. Wan, Pakhol and Halphong, 4 p.m.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).
 Tjibadak, Dutch, 4,801 registered tons, Capt. J. Graaff, from Kowloon Wharf, for Batavia and Java, a.m.—J.C.J. Line. (Tel. 28015).
 Tancred, Norwegian, from buoy No. 97, for Shai, Japan and U.S.A. p.m.—Dodwell & Co. (Tel. 28021).
 Changon, British, 2,235 registered tons, Capt. L. N. Beer, from buoy No. B7, for K. C. Wan, p.m.—Changon & Co. (Tel. 34181).

WEATHER REPORT

HONGKONG ROYAL OBSERVATORY
 10 a.m., May 14.
 Barometer (at sea level), 29.92 ins.
 Temperature, 80 F.
 Humidity, 72 per cent.
 Wind Direction, E/S
 Wind Force (Beaufort), 2
 Temperature, maximum yesterday, 80 F.
 Temperature, minimum last night, 71 F.
 Rainfall for 24 hours ending 10th to-day, nil.
 Total rainfall since January 1st, 24.83 ins.
 Against an average of, 15.06 ins.
 Sunset to-night, 6.55 p.m.
 Sunrise to-morrow, 5.43 a.m.
 4 p.m., May 14.
 Barometer (at sea level), 29.82 ins.
 Temperature, 77 F.
 Humidity, 81 per cent.
 Wind Direction, East.
 Wind Force (Beaufort), 3.
 Maximum temperature, 82 F.
 Minimum temperature, 71 F.
 Rainfall, nil.

HONG KONG TIDE TABLE

From 15 May to 21 1939		HIGH WATER		LOW WATER	
Days of Month	Day of Month	Hong Kong Standard Time	Height	Hong Kong Standard Time	Height
Mon. 15	h.m.	15.44	5.4	10.14	2.4
Tue. 16	15.43	4.8	13.10	2.1	
Wed. 17	15.44	4.8	13.52	2.4	
Thu. 18	15.44	4.8	13.52	2.4	
Fri. 19	15.44	4.8	13.52	2.4	
Sat. 20	15.44	4.8	13.52	2.4	
Sun. 21	15.44	4.8	13.52	2.4	



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Steamship	Tons	From Hongkong (about)	Destination
*BANGALORE	8,000	20th May	B'bay, Maru, Havre, L'don, Hull, R'g., R'dam, & Antwerp, Bombay, Marseilles & London.
SRAJPUTANA	17,000	27th May	do
*BEHUTAN	17,000	10th June	B'bay, Maru, Havre, L'don, Hull, R'g., R'dam, & Antwerp, Bombay, Marseilles & London.
RANPURA	17,000	24th June	do
*BEHAR	17,000	1st July	B'bay, Maru, Havre, L'don, Hull, R'g., R'dam, & Antwerp, Bombay, Marseilles & London.
SRALPINDI	17,000	8th July	do
SCETHAL	17,000	22nd July	do
SCORP	14,500	3rd Aug.	do
SCANTON	15,500	10th Aug.	do
SCATHAGE	14,500	2nd Sept.	do
SRAJPUTANA	17,000	16th Sept.	do
RANCHI	17,000	3rd Oct.	Marseilles & London.
RANPURA	17,000	14th Oct.	Marseilles & London.

* Cargo only. † Calls Casablanca. ‡ Calls Tangier.

All vessels may call at Malta.

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Steamship	Tons	From Hongkong (about)	Destination
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RANPURA	17,000	25th May	Shanghai & Japan
*BEHAR	8,000	28th May	Shanghai & Japan
NANKIN	7,000	5th June	do
RAWALPINDI	17,000	8th June	do
*SOUDAN	7,000	8th June	do
TILAWA	10,000	8th June	Japan
CHITRAL	15,000	22nd June	Shanghai & Japan
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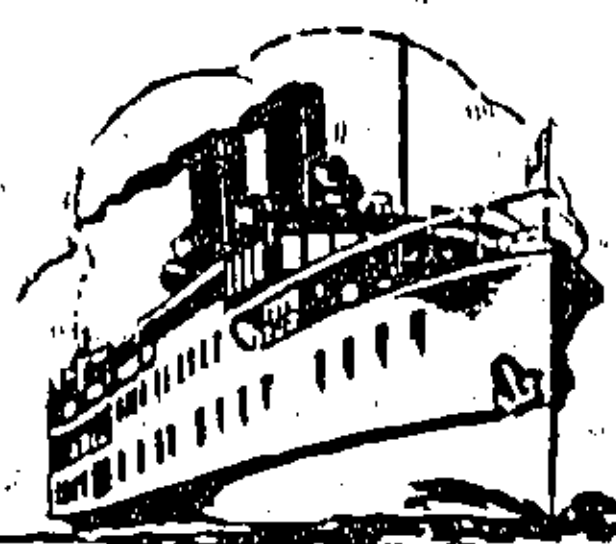
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MACAO RACE RESULTS

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2.—THE SHELFORD HANDICAP (11 Miles)

Mrs. Gellion's Eagle (Mr. A. W. Raymond) 1
Mr. C.S.W.'s Iron Knight (Mr. K. I. Ip) 2
Mr. O-Moon's Cloudy Star (Mr. P. L. Chiu) 3

Distance won: 1 length, 2 lengths between second and third.
Time: 38-3/5, 1.17-3/5, 2.30-2/5, 2.04-3/5.

Parti-mutuel:—
Winner: \$13.70.
Places: \$5.20, \$8.30, \$5.10.

Betting

	Win.	Pl.
Cloudy Star (Mr. P. L. Chiu)	206	106
Double-Up (Mr. R. K. C. Chiu)	22	8
Eagle (Mr. A. W. Raymond)	110	56
Fan Tan (Mr. H. J. A. Hearne)	7	12
Iron Knight (Mr. K. I. Ip)	5	9
Mayfair Court (Mr. B. L. Tao)	22	17
Sport Gesture (Mr. W. N. Yeh)	3	2
Total	355	210

3.—THE KENNET HANDICAP (Six Furlongs)

Mrs. Gellion's Fairy Auk (Mr. G. R. Payne) 1
Mr. J. H. Pott's Shanghai 4 (Mr. H. J. A. Hearne) 2
Mr. H. C. McComb's Hogmanay (Mr. P. L. Chiu) 3

Distance won: 1 length, 1 length between second and third.
Time: 33-2/5, 1.06-4/5, 1.41-3/5.

Parti-mutuel:—
Winner: \$87.20.
Places: \$11.10, \$7.30, \$9.30.

Betting

	Win.	Pl.
Fairy Auk (Mr. G. R. Payne)	15	19
Fairy Ousel (Mr. S. L. Yuen)	6	10
Hogmanay (Mr. P. L. Chiu)	48	27
Merry Maker (Mr. A. Raymond)	50	17
Rothsay Bay (Mr. K. I. Ip)	4	7
Shanghai 4 (Mr. H. J. A. Hearne)	95	50
Victory Life (Mr. B. L. Tao)	60	60
Total	308	196

4.—THE BERKS HANDICAP (Once Round)

Miss Fearon's Palmer (Mr. P. Y. T. Wei) 1
Mr. A.H.P.'s King's Parade (Mr. A. W. Raymond) 2
Mr. Kia Ora's Arabian Cat (Mr. G. W. Hook) 3

Distance won: 2 lengths, 3 lengths between second and third.
Time: 33-3/5, 56-4/5, 1.29-4/5, 2.03.

Parti-mutuel:—
Winner: \$55.30.
Places: \$18, \$9.50, \$15.90.

Betting

	Win.	Pl.
Arabian Cat (Mr. G. W. Hook)	16	18
King's Parade (Mr. A. W. Raymond)	105	43
Lattat (Mr. G. W. Cooper)	8	9
Lucky Eleven (Mr. G. R. Payne)	1	8
Mac's Adventure (Mr. P. L. Chiu)	82	40
National Dignity (Mr. S. L. Yuen)	49	30
Old Fashioned (Mr. K. I. Ip)	9	7
Palmer (Mr. P. Y. T. Wei)	27	15
Persian Cat (Mr. W. N. Yeh)	4	7
The Buccaneer (Mr. B. L. Tao)	114	51
Total	415	223

5.—THE LAMCHEN CUP (One Mile)

Mr. Lan's Plain View (Mr. H. C. Pih) 1
Mr. H.C.C.'s Dekko (Mr. P. Y. T. Wei) 2
Mr. L.W.F.'s Gold Sovereign (Mr. P. L. Chiu) 3

Distance won: A length, 2 lengths between second and third.
Time: 31-1/5, 1.03-3/5, 1.35, 2.08-1/5.

Parti-mutuel:—
Winner: \$24.70.
Places: \$6.60, \$5.60, \$7.60.

Betting

	Win.	Pl.
Dekko (Mr. P. Y. T. Wei)	218	90
Diogenes (Mr. A. Raymond)	28	18
Double Chance (Mr. G. R. Payne)	18	13
Emergency Call (Mr. G. W. Cooper)	5	13
Gold Coin (Mr. H. J. A. Hearne)	68	25
Gold Sovereign (Mr. P. L. Chiu)		

HITLER'S TOUR OF INSPECTION

MUNICH, May 14 (Reuter).—Herr Hitler left here for Nuremberg to inspect the new part of the Congress buildings, which are now being constructed.

His further programme is unknown, but it is believed that he will proceed on a tour of inspection of the western fortifications.

Chiu) 46 23
Lancashire Chap (Mr. Lee) 8 3
Plain View (Mr. H. C. Pih) 80 37

Total 465 220

6.—THE NEWBURY PLATE (Once Round)

Mr. Yunter's The Tigress (Mr. P. L. Chiu) 1
Mr. K. F. Wong's Pall Mall (Mr. H. J. A. Hearne) 2
Mr. Chanol's Annas Bay (Mr. S. L. Yuen) 3

Distance won: 2 lengths, a length between second and third.
Time: 23, 54-3/5, 1.27, 2.01-1/5.

Parti-mutuel:—
Winner: \$8.20.
Places: \$5.40, \$6, \$7.

Betting

	Win.	Pl.
Annas Bay (Mr. S. L. Yuen)	62	18
Charcoal (Mr. Tang Man) 7 6		
Pall Mall (Mr. H. J. A. Hearne)	98	33
Spirit of St. Louis (Mr. B. L. Tao)	29	8
The Tigress (Mr. P. L. Chiu)	253	67
True Love (Mr. H. C. Pih)	45	30
Total	494	160

7.—THE MAY CONSOLATION STAKES (Half A Mile)

Mr. Gellion's Merry Maker (Mr. A. W. Raymond) 1
Mr. J. M. Bragg's Fairy Ousel (Mr. P. L. Chiu) 2
Mr. J. H. Pott's Gold Clause (Mr. W. N. Yeh) 3

Distance won: 3 lengths, a length between second and third.
Time: 32, 1.04-4/5.

Parti-mutuel:—
Winner: \$7.
Places: \$5.10, \$6.50, \$8.70.

Betting

	Win.	Pl.
Coureur Bleu (Mr. G. R. Payne)	17	9
Fairy Ousel (Mr. P. L. Chiu)	27	8
Gold Clause (Mr. W. N. Yeh)	18	7
Hohenfels (Mr. R. K. C. Chiu)	10	5
Merry Maker (Mr. A. Raymond)	150	66
Rothsay Bay (Mr. K. I. Ip)	27	9
Total	249	104

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RACE 1
No. 245 \$180.30
312 51.50
357 25.70

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RACE 2
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352 64.40
71 32.20

Unplaced starters: Nos. 437, 148, 185 and 86 get \$10 each.

RACE 3
No. 496 \$284.60
440 75.60
220 27.80

Unplaced starters: Nos. 359, 268, 69 and 384 get \$10 each.

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No. 284 \$264.60
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211 37.80

Unplaced starters: Nos. 30, 528, 166, 37, 150, 279 and 384 get \$10 each.

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20371 3,006.40
38454 1,503.20

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RACE 6
No. 377 \$316.60
321 90.40
14 45.20

Unplaced starters: Nos. 415, 350 and 591 get \$10.

RACE 7
No. 204 \$278.00
337 79.40
88 39.70

Unplaced starters: Nos. 240, 129 and 381 get \$10 each.

U.S. BASEBALL RESULTS

NEW YORK, May 13 (Reuter).—The following are the results of matches played in the baseball leagues to-day:—

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	R.	H.	E.
Brooklyn	3	6	4
Boston	5	13	1

Philadelphia and New York postponed.

Chicago	6	12	4
Pittsburgh	2	6	1

St. Louis	1	4	1
Cincinnati	2	6	2

AMERICAN LEAGUE

New York and Philadelphia postponed.

Cleveland	5	8	1
Chicago	2	10	1

Detroit	3	8	0
St. Louis	5	9	2

FIRE DAMAGE, MAYOR FLEES

Arson Suspected In Philippines Outbreak

MANILA, May 14 (Reuter).—A second large suspected arson fire at Legaspi (Albay) broke out at 1 o'clock yesterday morning.

After three hours the outbreak had razed a considerable portion of the city and had done damage estimated at 300,000 pesos.

Many of the destroyed stores and houses are reported recently to have taken out heavy insurance with scattered agencies, while the Mayor of Legaspi, in whose house the fire broke out, fled the city two days ago following receipt of an anonymous warning that a fire was threatened.

The Mayor is said to have fled to avoid suspicion of complicity.

HARVEY-MCAVOY BOUT RECOGNISED

Light Heavyweight Championship

LONDON, May 13 (Reuter).—The British Boxing Board of Control announces that it will officially recognise the Len Harvey-Jock McAvoy bout as for the World's Light Heavyweight Championship.

The Board states that the administrative stewards have confirmed the decision of the emergency committee refusing to sanction John Henry Lewis to fight Harvey.

The stewards have decided that the title be declared vacant, and have nominated Harvey and McAvoy as contenders for it.

RE-MARRIAGE ORDERED IN SPAIN

BURGOS, May 14 (T/Ocean).—The Ministry of Justice, according to press reports received here on Saturday, is now preparing a Bill providing for the annulment of all marriages contracted without the participation of the Church under the red regime.

Persons married without a Church wedding during the Civil War will be set a certain time limit, before the expiry of which they must go through religious ceremonies to establish the validity of their marriages.

BARON ROTHSCHILD FLIES TO PARIS

PARIS, May 14 (T/Ocean).—Baron Louis de Rothschild, who, as previously reported, had been released from custody in Vienna, arrived here on Saturday afternoon by air from Zurich, accompanied by his brother, Baron Eugene. It is stated that Baron Louis will stay at his brother's house during his visit to Paris.

The South China A.A. South Seas touring team, which includes Lee Wai-tong, Lee Kwok-wai, Lee Tin-sang and other leading players, will be opposed to the Rest of the Colony XI at Caroline Hill on Saturday afternoon.

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Straits	Shutan	18th May
Shanghai	Menestheus	18th May
Straits	Cremer	18th May
Manila	Granville	18th May
Haliphong	Canton	17th May
Manila	Pres. Pierce	17th May
Haliphong, Pakhot and Fort Bayard	Kiangsu	17th May
Canada, U.S.A., Japan and Shanghai (Vancouver B. C. date, 29th April).	Emp. of Asia	17th May
Manila	Scharnhorst	17th May
Straits	Achilles	17th May
Air Mail by "Pan American Airways Direct Service"—San Francisco date, 11th May.	Pan American Airways plane	18th May
U.S. Mail by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—London date, 13th May.	Imperial Airways Plane	18th May
Shanghai and Swatow	Szechuen	18th May
Calcutta and Straits	Hosang	18th May
Tientsin and Swatow	Yochow	18th May
Tientsin and Swatow	Ninghai	18th May
Manila	Dardanus	18th May
Amoy	Taima	18th May
Japan and Shanghai	Terukuni Maru	18th May
Australia and Manila	Atuta Maru	18th May
Shanghai	Bangalore	18th May
Straits and Manila	Victoria	30th May
Japan	La Plata Maru	31st May
Shanghai and Amoy	Tjisadane	31st May
Straits	Sarpedon	31st May
Saigon	Laos	31st May
Straits	Katori Maru	32nd May
Calcutta and Straits	Shirala	32nd May
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan & Shanghai (San Francisco date, 27th Apr.).	Kamakura Maru	23rd May
Straits	Ruys	24th May
Manila	Nozto Maru	24th May
Saigon	Aramis	24th May
Japan and Shanghai	Pres. Doumer	25th May
Japan	Kamo Maru	26th May

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MONDAY		
Air Mail for "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—due London, 22nd May.	Imperial Airways Plane	Mon. 15th K.P.O. Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 5.30 PM
Airmail for Malaya, Java and Australia by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—due Sydney 22nd May.	Imperial Airways Plane	Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 5.30 PM K.P.O. Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 5.30 PM
TUESDAY		
Batavia and Sourabaya	Tjibadak	Tue. 16th 10.30 AM
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Haliphong	Esang	2.00 PM
Swatow	Hoihow	2.30 PM
Amoy	Tainan	3.30 PM
Shanghai	Scharnhorst	4.30 PM
THURSDAY		
Dairen	Taihybin	Thurs. 18th 9.30 AM
Manila	Emp. of Asia	3.30 PM
Japan	Atuta Maru	4.30 PM
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FRIDAY		
Airmail for Manila, Guam, Honolulu, and U.S.A. by the "Pan American Airways Direct Service"—due San Francisco, 25th May.	Pan American Airways plane	Fri. 19th Reg. 18th 5.00 PM Ord. 18th 5.30 PM
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